### Commercial.

THIS DAY.

4 o'clock p.m. Business is very quiet in the Share Market to-day, the only transaction which

came under our notice being a sale of China Sugars at 145 for the end of the year. Banks are rather weaker, offers to sell at the reduced rate of, 189 premium failing to induce buyers to invest. Nothing, else requires special mention.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank- ... ... Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-New Issue 189 per cent, premium, sellers. Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$625 per

China Traders' Insurance Company-\$73 per share, buyers. North China Insurance-Tls. 1,400 per share.

Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$1121 per Yangtsze Insurance Association-Tls. 1015 per

Chinese Insurance Company-\$215 per share, On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150

Hongkong Fire. Insurance Company-\$355 per China Fire Insurance Company-\$370 per share, Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company-572 per cent. premium.

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. -\$50 per share, premium, buyers. China and Manila Steam Ship Company-118 per share.

Hongkong Gas Company-\$80 per share. Hongkong Hotel Company-\$150 per share, Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Li-

mited-25 per cent. dis., buyers. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$142 per share, sellers. China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-2 per cent. premium.

Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$82 per share, buyers. Hongkong Ice Company-\$155 per share Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited

-\$80 per share, buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1878-11 per cent. pren Chinese Imperial Loan of 1881-2 percent. prem. EXCHANGE.

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OPIUM MARKET .- THIS DAY.

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	NEW PATNA, high touch (second choice) per chest	\$570.
	NEW PATNA, low touch (without choice)	100
	NEW PATNA, low touch (first choice) per	\$570
	chest	3572
	New Patna, low touch (bottom) per chest New Patna, low touch (second choice)	\$575
_	per chest	\$567
•	OLD PATNA, per chest	\$592
	per chest	\$560

New Benares, high touch (bottom) per chest..... \$565 NEW PERSIAN (best quality) per picul, \$485 @ \$525 OLD PERSIAN (best quality) per picul, \$375 @ \$400 OLD PERSIAN (second quality) per

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. IFROM MESSES. FALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER). YESTERDAY.

Barometer-4 P.M	154
Thermometer-1 P. H	75
Thermometer-4 P.M.	75
Thermometer-1 P.M. (Wel bulb)	75 60
Thermometer-4 P.M. (Wet builb)	ÓB
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Barometer-1 P. M. generalisation and anti-	100
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Thermometer-q A.M. (Wet bulb)	60
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dreds,-Thermometer, in Fahrenhelt degrees and tens kept in the open ale in a shaded situation .- Direction of Wind, is registered every two points, N., N.N.E., N.E., etc.-Force of Wind, o calm. I to 3 light breeze, 3 to 3 moderate. 5 to 7 lineh. 740 8 strong. 8 to 10 heavy. 10 to 18 violent. State of Weather, B. Clear, blue sky. C. Cloudy. D. Drizzly. F. Fog. G. Foggy. H. Hall. L. Lightning. M. Misty. O. Overcast. P. Passing showers. Q. Squally. R. Rainy. S. Bnow. T. Thunder U. Bad, threatening V. Vlaibility. W. Storm J. Calm. The esture ale repeated to indicate any increase over the mean average of their signification. \* Rain. The hours of rain for the previous sa hours (soon) are registered from 2 to sa. the quentity of water fallen indicated in inches, tens and

# Shipping.

NAMOA, British steamer, 862, Geo. Westoby, 6th November -- Foothow and November,

Amoy 4th, and Swatow 5th, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. AMOY, British steamer, 814, D. Herrmann, 6th November,-Canton 5th November, Gene-. ral.—Siemssen & Co.

CHEANG HOCK KIAN, British steamer, 965, F Webb, 6th November,—Singapore 29th October, General.—Bun Hin Chan. CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE

Nam-vian, French steamer, for Haiphong. Achilles, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. Greyhound, British steamer, for Hoihow. C. T. Hook, British steamer, for Saigon. Goliali, Siamese hark, for Bangkok.

Amoy, British steamer, for Shanghai. Humiah W. Dudley, American bark, for New

DEPARTURES. November 5; Chi-yuen, Chinese steamer, for November 5, Activ, Danish str., for Hoihow. November 6, Cambodia; British steamer, for November 6, Europa, German str., for Straits

Settlements.

November 6, Menzaleh, French steamer, for November 6, Anadyr, French steamer, for Saigon and Marseilles. November 6, Iroauaddy, French steamer, for November 6, Gleneagles, British steamer, for

.Shanghai, \_passengers—arrived.

Per Namoa, str., from Foochow, &c. -- Messrs. Volpicelle and Goularte, and 112 Chinese. Per Cheang Hock Kian, str., from Singapore. -240 Chinese for Coast.

Per Diamante, str., for Amoy .-- 2 Europeans and 121 Chinese. Per Gleneagles, str., for Shanghal .- 3 Euro-

The British steamship Nautoa reports left Foochow on the 2nd instant, Amoy non the 4th, and Swatow on the 5th. Experienced light and moderate winds to Swatow. From thence to port had moderate monsoon with dull cloudy weather and light rain. In Swatow the steamships Tientsin, Keelung, Lusitania, Picciola, Gervase, Kung-pai, and Yung-ching.

VESSELS ARRIVED IN			IN
JAPAN, CHINA Isla de Mindanao (s.) Orestes (s.)	Monila	Sept.	3
Orestes (s.)	Shanghai	Sept.	6
Benlarig (s.)	.r ootnow Vokohama	Sept.	7
Pacaxo (s.)	Shanghai, &c	Sept-	—á
Glenfalloch (s.)	.Shanghai	Sept.	11
Aberdeen (s)	Foochow, &cc	Sept.	12
Rosslyn (s.) Priam (s.) Glamis Castle (s.)	.r occnow	Sept.	17
Glamis Castle (s.)	Hankow	Sept.	17
Ulvsscs (S.)	.Foochow	3cpt.	72
Arab. Deucalion (s.)	Hongkong .	Sept.	24
Deucalian (s.)	Shanghai	Sept	20
Sophocies (s.)	Hongkong .	Sept.	20
VESSELS EXPECT	TED AT HONG	KONG.	
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## Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Holhow and Pakhoi .- Per-Greyhound,to-day, the 6th instant, at 5 P.M. For Haiphong,-Per Nam-vian, to-day, the 6th instant, at 5 P.M.

For Swatow, Amoy, & Foochow.—Per Douglas to-day, the 6th instant, at 5 P.M. For Swatow and Bangkok .- Per Mongkut, tomorrow, the 7th instant, at 7.30 A.M. For Amoy .- Per Cheang Hock Klan, to-mor-

7th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Amoy, Tamsui, & Taiwanfod .- Per Albay to-morrow, the 7th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.-Per Diamants, tomorrow, the 7th instant, at 4.30 P.M. For Straits and Bombay.-Per Bangalors, on

Friday, the 9th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Hiogo, and Yokohama.-Per Zambesi, on Friday, the 16th instant, at 11.30

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet "ROHILLA," will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 13th instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.
N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the

Australiasian Colonies. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET: The United States, Mail Packet "OCRANIC," will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 17th MARIE, German bark, 430, Thomaschewky, instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-

At 2.15 P.M. Registry ceases. At 2.30 P.M. Post-office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "PEIHO," will. be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th instant: with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Salgon. Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, (via Madras); the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. .The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Malls, &c. Hours for Closing the Contract Mails. THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet :--DAY OF DEPARTURE. NOON. -- Money Order Office closes.

2.00 P.M. - Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M. - Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of to cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board

the packet with late fee of 10 cents until time

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ACHILLES, British: steamer, 1,528, C. Anderson, 5th November,—Shanghai 30th October, General.—Butterfield & Swire.

ALBAY, British steamer, 366, F. D. Goddard 4th November,-Taiwanfoo 1st November, Amoy 2nd, and Swatow 3rd, General. Di

Lapraik & Co. ARRATOON APCAR, British steamer, 1,392, A. B Mactavish, 22nd October, Calcutta 7th October, Penang 13th, and Singapore 16th, Opium, Saltpetre, and Sundries.—D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.—Kowloon Dock. BANGALORE, British steamer, 1,309, J. P. Hassell, 4th Nov., -Bombay 14th Oct., General

-P. & O. S. N. Co. CANTON, British steamer, 1,095, J. C. Jaques, 1st November,—Saigon 28th October, Rice and General.-Kwong Yuen.

CHINA, German steamer, 648, Schoer, 13th Oct., -Arrioy 11th October, General.-Yuen Fat Hong.-Kowloon Dock. CHOLLTATON, British steamer, 1,733, James Clark, 26th October,—Newcastle, N.S.W., 5th October, Coal.-Siemssen & Co.

C. T. HOOK, British steamer, 902, W. Jarvis,
28th October,—Saigon 22nd October, Rice,
Paddy, and Rice Flour.—Thos. Howard DIAMANTE, British steamer, 514, R. F. Cullen, 5th November,-Manila 2nd November,

Hemp and Hides .- Russell & Co. Don Juan, Spanish steamer, 684, Jose M. Marquez, 29th October,—Manila 26th October, General.-Brandao & Co.-Cosmopolitan Douglas, British steamer, 982, Samuel Ashton,

Foochow 30th Oct., Amoy 31st, and Swatow 1st November, General.-D. Lapraik & Co.-Electra, Geiman steamer, 1,101, E. Kaler, 31st October, - Salgon 25th October, Rice. -Siemssen & Co. Emuy, Spanish steamer, 410, Rementeria, 30th

June,-Manila 27th June, General.-Remedios & Co.-Kowloon Dock. FAME, British steamer, 117, A. Stopani.-Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. GREYHOUND, British steamer, 227, D. Scott, 5th

November,-Hoihow 3rd Nov., General.-Adamson, Bell & Co. HAILOONG, British steamer, 277, F. Ashton 26th October, Tamsui 23rd October, and Amoy 25th; General.-D. Lapraik & Co.-

Kowloon Dock HAINAN, British steamer, 281; J. Woone, 20th October,--Haiphong 16th October, Pakhoi 17th, and Hoihow. 19th, General.-Afong LI YUNG, Annamite steamer, 150, Chun, 19th

June,-Touron 15th June, General.-Chi-MADRAS, British steamer, 1,080, James White Swan, 29th October,-Honolulu 1st Oct., General.—Thos. Howard & Co.

MIRAMAR, British steamer, 891, Duggan, 1st November, -Rangoon 11th October, Penang 16th, Singapore 19th, and Saigon 25th, Rice and Padd: .—Bun Hin & Co. MONUKUT, British steamer, 859, J. H. Loff, 1st November, Bangkok 22th October, Gene-ral.—Yuen Fat Hong.

MORAY, British steamer, 1,427, Duncan, 5th November, - Saigon 31st October, Rice. --Jardine, Matheson & Co. NAM-VIAN, French steamer, 435, A. Garceau, 3rd November,-Haiphong 1st November,

General.—A. R. Marty. OCEANIC, British steamer, 1,808, Davison, 27th Anglo-Indian, British bark, 444 (Henningson) October,-San Francisco 27th September, and Yokohama 21st October, Mails and General.—O. & O. S. S. Co.—Cosmopolitan

PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,000, H. H. Lightwood, 4th Nov.,—Bang. S. N. Co.
-kok-28th-November, Rice and Wood.— Chloris, German bark, 334 (Matzun)—Arnhold, ROMULUS, Spanish steamer, 531, L. Fremoya,

27th October,-Manila 24th October, Ballast.-Dunn, Melbye & Co.-Kowloon Dock. SEA GULL, American steamer, 48, Hayden, Nov. 24th, -China Traders' Insurance Co. TROMP, Dutch steamer, 137, A. S. Roe, 11th Ed. Schellhass & Co.-For Sale. VORTIGERN, British steamer, 908, J. Bown, 28th October, -- Calcutta, and Singspore

20th October, General.—Ah Yon. Welle, German steamer, 393, E. F. Piper, 5th -November, -Hoihow\_ist November, General. - Wieler & Co.

## BAILING VESSELS.

ASTERIA, British, brig, 211, Samuel Cox, 26th September,-Normanton (North Quensland) 18th Sept., Ballast.-Captain. BOTHWELL CASTLE, British bark, 592, James Romney, 26th October,-Newchwang 12th

October, Beans,-Chune Cheong Hong, COMET, German ship, 1,083, Siegener, and lov., -Cardiff 23rd June, Coals.-Captain. CHARTES BAL, British ship, 1:431; W. J. Wason.

16th September,-Cardiff 6th May, Coas,-Russell & Go. DIAMOND, British bark, 391, Ness, 31st Octiber, -Kuchinotzu arst October, Coal.-Beterfield & Swire.

ERNST, German 3-m. schooner, E. Hildeband, 29th October,-Newchwang 17th Octber, Beans .- Wieler & Co. GOLIAH, Siamese bark, 542, Roche, 10th lct. -Whochin 16th September, Wood.-Oder.

GUSTAV. & OSCAR, German ship, 1,352, G. Secmann, 9th October,-Cardiff 1st June, Cals. -Russell & Co. HAYDN BROWN, American bark, 822, C. H. Hevener, 15th Oct.,-Newcastle, N.SW.,

1st August, Coals.—Russell & Co. J. A. BORLAND, American bark, 635, Y A. Kent, 8th September,-Newcastle 6th hly, Coal,-Russell & Co. Magic, British schooner, 214, White, 20th Ag.

Karberg & Co. 27th August,-Swatow August 10th, Bahst. -Siemssen & Co.-Koowloon Dock MOUNT LEBANON, British bark, 530, Chas. H. Nelson, 12th Oct.,-Whampon 11th Ct.,

-Newchwang 25th July, Beans,-Arnbld,

litan Dock NARDOO, British bark, 379, J. F. Morrison, 5th China, Siamese brig, 199-Chesua Pau. October, -Newchwang 16th October, Bens. | Doretta, Siamese brig, 300 (Martin)-Phra W -Siemssen & Co.

GIBSON, British bark, 704. F. C. Bailey, and Envey, Siamese bark, 330 (Hofft)—Hong-moh. Coal.—Borneo Co., Limited. ONEIDA, American ship, 1,130, Carver, 7th Foochow, Siamese brig, 300 (Petersen)-Chinese. October.-Newcastle, N.S.W., 28th Augst,

Coal.—Russell & Co. Orro, German ship, 1,205, Fortmann, 31st ct.; -Shanghai 26th October, Ballast -- Ruiell SACHEM, American ship, 1,380, Small, 4th Nv.,

-Cardiff oth June, Coal. -O. & O. S. S. fo.

SEA RIPPLE, British barkentine, 182, A. Riches, 24th Sept.,-Freemantle 19th August, andalwood.—Siemssen & Co. SPARTAN, American schooner, 85, Ch. Vincot, 26th July,-from Chungchow.-W. H. Ry. S. RIDOWAY, Amer. bark, 833, H. S. Tonsend, 12th Sept. Bangkok 25th Ausst;

General.—Chinese THREE BROTHERS, British bark, 366, Kahke, 1st-Sept., Quinhon 25th August Genal -Ee Tye Hong. TWILIGHT, American ship, 1,265, W. C. land, 8th June,-Newcastle, N.S.W., April, Coal.—Adamson, Bell & Co.

HONGKONG -- SAILING VESSELS. Continued.

WALLS CASTLE, British bark, 626, Kennett, 23rd October,--Guinayangan 28th Sept., Wood.-Lane, Crawford & Co. WANDERING MINSTREL, British bark, 362, Sievewright, 4th November, Amoy 3rd Nov., Bricks.—Captain.

WILDWOOD, American bark, 1,099, Chas. P. Sawyer, 23rd Sept.,—Nagasaki 14th Sept., Coal.—M. B. M. S. S. Co. VM. MANSON, British bark, 366, H. Kindred, 1st October,-Newchwang 18th September, Beans.—Russell & Co.

ZOUAVE, American ship, 1,202, Robert C. Loper, 3rd August,-Cardiff 4th April, Coals.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

CANTON.

FOOKSANG, British steamer, 990, Hogg, 4th November,—Shanghai 1st Nov., General.— Jardine, Matheson & Co... NINGPO, British steamer, 761, Cass, 3rd Nov.,-Shanghai -31st October, General .- Siemssen & Co.

WHAMPOA.

MANHEM, Swedish 3-m. sch., 463, Jansson, 28th October,—Newchwang 16th. October, Beans.-Siemssen & Co.

RIVER STEAMERS.

Hankow, British steamer, 2,235, Ogston.—Butterfield & Swire. Ho-nam, British steamer, 1,377—Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co.—Laid up.

Kiang-ping, Chinese steamer, 360, Holmes .-—-C. M. S. N. Co.-Kiu-kiang, British steamer, 617, T. Benning. Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Kiung-chow, British steamer, 159, Goggin .-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. Powan, British steamer, 1,890, G. B. Lefavor.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. White Cloud, British steamer, 527, A. Benning. -Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat

Yot-sai, British steamer, 180, Hoyland.—Hengkong. Canton. & Macao Steamboat Co.

AMOY.

In Port on 30th October, 1883. Brunette, British bark, 375 (Turnbull)—H. A Petersen & Co. Chateaubriand, British bark, 409 (Edwards)-H. A. Petersen & Co.

Helene, German bark, 250-Boyd & Co. Hilda Maria, German bark, 275 (E. Tennis)-Pasedag & Co. Lucky, Siamese bark, 425 (Siqueira)-Dauver Printemps, French bark, 357, (Gaillard)-H. A, Petersen & Co.

> FOOCHOW. In Port on 20th October, 1883.

Kristina Nilsson, American brig, 297 (Thomson) -Russell & Co.

SHANGHAI.

In Port on 26th October, 1883.

A. E. Sleeper, American bark, 463 (Sleeper)— Russell & Co. Batavia, British bark, 366 (Oberg)-Nils-Moller. Chingtah, Chinese bark, 472 (Taylor)-C. M.

Karberg & Co. Earl of Elgin, British bark, 979 (Morrison)-S. C. Farnham & Co. Edward May, American bark, 890 (Johnson)-W. Hewett & Co. George, British bark, 895 (Grant)-Adamson October,-Celebes 27th Sept., General.- Hugo & Otto, Norwegian bark, 370 (Koedt)-Lewis Hopkins.

John D. Brewer, American bark, 926 (Josselyn) Russell & Co. Leander, British ship, 148 (Hamilton)-J. W.

> YOKOHAMA. In Port on 31st October, 1883

Alma, American schooner, 52 (Tibbey)-J. D Carroll & Co. Black Diamond, German bark, 670 (Boyd)-P.

Evangeline, British bark, 345 (Bell)-H. Mac-E. von Beaulieu, German bark, 336 (Getting)-Grosser & Co. Guam, British schooner, 294 (Marns)-Master, Haddon Hall, British ship, 1,416 (Leighton)-C. Illies & Co. Hedvig, British bark, 375 (Norquay)-Nils

Sagitta, Brttish bark, 579 (Taylor)-Frazar Sattara, British bark, 940 (Jenkins)-Max Raspe Sooloo, British bark, 350 (Baike)-M. B. S.

BANGKOK.

In Port on 20th October, 1883. Aline, Siamese schooner, 347. (Schmiegelow)-Wang Lee. Ann Armytage, British bark, 417 (Gracey)-Borneo Co., Limited. Annie, German schooner, 340 (Moller)-A. M Aurora, British bark, 294 (Milne)-Ban Hong Billy Simpson, British bark, 432 (Brown)-Lee Bua Pan, Siamese ship, 574-Poh Hee.

Caroline, German schooner, 273 (Michelsen)-E. Bonneville. -Rozario & Co.-Repairing at Cosmoo- | C. Kamrye, Siamese bark, 480 (Michaelsen)-

chit Sarakye.

Poh Chin Soo.

November,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 6th Spt., Falcon, Slamese bark, 368 (Evans)-Kwong G. Brenatti, Italian brig, 542 (Bisso) - Order. Heng Seng, Siamese bark, 516 (Reynolds) - Chinese - Chinese Hero, Siamese brig, 178 (Delakoches)—Chinese.

K. H. Cheong, Siamese schooner, 175 (Likeng) 'Kim Chye Seng, Siamese schooner, 238-Chesua Koon Lee, Siamese schooner, 242 (Hansen)-Phya Naken. Mercury, Slamese brig, 102 (Hennings)-Chi-

Queen of England, Slamese ship, 542 (Otten)-

Rajah, British schooner, 63 (Chinese)—A. Abdul Rapid, Sianteso bark, 429 (Steinbring)-Wang San Francisco, German schooner, 251 (Oltmann) Starlight, Siamese bark, 570 (Moller)-Poh Tek.

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY SISHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON

Albatross, screw sloop, 4 guns, Commander Chas. Hicks, Yokohama. Audacious, double-screw iron frigate, Captain R. E. Tracey, Yokohama Champion, corvette, 14 guns, Captain A. T. Pow-

lett, Sunda Straits. Cleopatra, corvette, 14 guns, Captain H. N. Hippisley, Hongkong. Cockchafer, gunboat, 4 guns, Commander R. L. Groome, Hongkong.

Curacoa, corvette, 14 guns, Captain Anstruther, Daring, composite sloop, 4 guns, Commander F. J. J. Eliott, Hongkong. Esk, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, In reserve, Espoir, gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Gamble,

Flying-Fish, sloop, 4 guns, Lieut-Commander Hoskyn, Hongkong. Fly, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Commander J. Hope, Singapore. Foxhound, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander McQuhae, Pechili.

Kestrel, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Commander E. Hotham, Shanghai. Linnet, British gunboat, 5 guns, Commander G. Jones, Canton. Magpie, surveying vessel, 4 guns, Lieut.-Com. Hon. F. Vereker, Sunda Straits.

Midge, double-screw gun-vessel, E. Hotham, reserve, Hongkong. Pegasus, sloop, 6 guns, Commander Bickford, Sapphire, corvette, 9 guns, Commander John R.

T. Fullerton, Cheloo. Swift, double-screwgun-vessel, 5 guns, Comman, der W. Collins, Pakhoi. Tweed, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, in reserve, RUSSIA AND CHINA, Hongkong.

lictor Emmanuel, receiving ship, 20 guns, Commodore Cuming, Hongkong. Vigilant, paddle despatch-vessel, 2 guns, Commander Maxwell, Yokohama. Wivern, turret-ship, 4 guns, in reserve, Hong-

Zephyr, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieutenant-Commander Pollard, Hongkong.

FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA STATION.

Abreck, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Captain Schanz, Chefoo. Cher. French gunboat, Commander Laion, Duke of Edinburgh, Russian ironclad, Captain de Giers, Hongkong. Enterprise, American corvette, Commander A. S.

Baker, en route to Shanghai. Ermak, Russian transport, Captain Koltchau. Vladivostock. Essex, American gun-vessel, 6 guns, Captain McCormack, Nagasaki. Gornostai, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander

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mont, Hongkong. Leipzig, German corvette, 16 guns, Captain Her-Legaspi, Spanish transport, Commander Valenti, Lutin, French | gunboat, '4 guns, Commander Rouvier, Canton.

Monocacy, American gunboat, 6 guns, Comman. der C. S. Cotton, Korea. Morge, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Tatarinoff, Nagasaki. Naesdnik, Russian corvette, Captain Kalagerass, Yokohama. Nerpa, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander

Valrondt, Vladivostock, Opritchnik, Russian cruiser, Commander B. Ivas- A Mass of interesting information on various Palos, American gunboat, 6 guns, Lieutenant, Commander Green, Taiwan. Pensacola, American frigate, Captain H. Esben,

Richmond, American frigate, '14' guns, Captain Skerrett, Yokohama. Skobeleff, Russian corvette, Captain Blanodareff, Sobol, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Boyle, Nagasaki. Stein, German man-of-war, Commander Nostitz,

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Yokohama. Triomphante, French corvette, 17 guns, Captain Baux, Shanghai, Victoricusc, French frigate, 14 guns, Captain de la Batie,-Hongkong. Villars, French corvette, 15 guns, Captain M Dewatre, Shanghal. Volta, French corvette, Captain Fournier, Vostock, Russian gunboat, 4 guns, Commander

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Hoi-tung-hung, Viceroy's gunboat, Leting Yiu

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Tsing-po, Viceroy's gunboat, 5 guns, Chinese

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only having contributed three to the total, and the | another direction. The sun was just up, 7.15 score-sheet showing 4 wickets down for 21, runs. | a.m., and large parties of the men were away, Wodehouse (Repton) and Porter (Cheltenham) some having gone to their wood-cutting, some to stayed together until the score was raised to 35, and the river to wash, others to fetch water; some then Hendry, who was trundling in rare form, were escerting home the parties of girls who had demolished the Reptonian's stumps with a regular come bringing food to the Royal-kraal; while trimmer. At this stage of the game Hendry had those who remained were not kept in any parbowledeight overs, three maidens, taking four | ticular order, the impi having been broken up, wick at a cost of 9 runs. When Gordon | while the kraal was full of women too, who had (Harrow) joined Porter the stand of the innings | come both from the King's territory and the was made, the old Harrovian hitting out in his Reserve, and were preparing the thatch for the customary free style. Bowling changes had to be made, Plumbe and Hynes relieving Hendry | people, and just then Makahleleka, the Swazi and Bunbury. At 76 Gordon after putting to-gether 17, including one four and three threes, kraal where he was lodging, and he had hastwas caught at point off the first ball bowled by ened to warn the King. Our men rushed out Hynes, a regular fluke, as the ball after pitching | to meet the enemy-not as an impi in fighthalf way between the wickets rose, and the bats- ing array, but just as working people hurry-man, in attempting to play it, scooped it right ing from their work, and all abroad. There into Bunbury's hands. Six for 76. Without any was no time even to marshal those who were addition to the scote, Porter whose 25 was the there. So the enemy, with their horses, soon highest score on his side, was grandly taken in scattered them, and reached the kraal and the long field by Hendry off Plumbe. Wise (Cambridge) and H. F. Whyte (Marlborough) did | and children, the [Umdhlunkulu] Royal semale not have a lengthy partnership, the first named being caught by Cottell off Hynes after scoring killing [some of] the King's own wives and three, and Vaughan (Durham) had no sooner joined children. The dead bodies of three of his wives Whyte than Plumbe managed to get one past and of three of his father's wives have been the Hongkong veteran's bat, and o wickets were found, some of them four or five miles from gone and only 93 runs scored. Brackenbury Ulundi, and the dead body, too, of his little son, (Marlborough) failed to score, and Fogarty (Dublin) succumbed to Hynes after crediting too, is wounded by the same assegai which himself with a couple, leaving Vaughan to carry out his bat for a carefully compiled 9. The total people who had not time to get out they burnt score, including 9 extras, amounted to 99. Hynes | to death in the huts, and destroyed or carried off had 4 wickets for 14 runs, Hendry 4 for 18, the King's property, even the presents which Plumbe 2 for 18, and Bunbury one for 30. had been given to him in England." How the

requisite, Vaughan and Fogarty going first to told by the King himself and the girls who were the wickets. Hyncs and Plumbe continuing the with him as follows:-The King at first had bowling for the opposition. With the score at refused to fly, preferring to die in his own Fogarty was caught in the slips by Hynes off place, but he was persuaded, and mounted a lumbe, and with the addition of 5 runs horse, and rode as far as the little stream D'Acth. Jarrett and Porter were all dis- the Intukwini (some two miles from the kraal). posed of the first and last named being Here the horse came down on its knees on acsplendidly caught by Van Buren fielding count of the stones, and the King went on foot. substitute for Rice. Lloyd was easily taken by The impi had already killed many, both men Farguhar at mid off from Plumbe's bowling at | and women, who had been with him. There,

24. Bunbury 2 for 10 and Hynes one for 19. Full scores are appended :-UNIVERSITIES AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS. SECOND INKINGE. FIRST INKINGS. Lieut, Jarrett, "Buffa" b Hendi / 8 c Bunbury, b Plumbe Mr. V. A. C. Hawkins, b Heldry & c Hare, b Bunbury ... Lt. Lloyd, "Buffa" 1 b w b c Farquhar, b Plumbe Capt., Gordon, "Buffa" a Bun-Mr. H. F. White, b Flumbe..... 9 c Farquhar, b Hendry. 98
Rev. C. M. Vaughan, not out-...-9-1-b-w, b Plumbe...... 5 Capt. Brackenbury, & Cochrane,

THE REMAINDER.

Mr., H. G. Rice, h Lloyd, ...., Mr. F. S. Hare, c Jerrett, b Lloyd ... 

#### CETYWAYO'S ESCAPE NARRATED BY HIMSELF.

The report of what actually happened in the attack on Cetywayo's town, Ulundi, lately reached England from the Zulu King's friends. In Sir Henry Bulwer's setttlement of Zululand, Hamu's district was included in the country over which Cetywayo was appointed ruler. But Hamu has all along shown a disaffected and restless spirit. He has refused to recognise Cetywayo's authority, and has killed and plundered many of the Loyal Zulus living in Northern Zu-Juland. Shortly before the destruction of Ulundi Cetywayo discovered that Usibopu had sent an impi to Hamu's assistance, and that in fact the two were acting as confederates or allies. The King therefore took steps to send a force to defend his loyal people who were being attacked but it appears that at the urgent solicitation of Mr. Fynn, the British Resident, he ultimately decided to disband this force and to romain quiet. His troops returned to their ordinary avocations, and at the moment of Usibepu's attack were wholly unprepared to meet the invaders. Kukula, who reached Bishopstowe in the evening of August 6, states :- 'I am sent, by Shingana, Mahanan, Qetuka, Sigananda, and Melelesi, by the order of Cetywayo, to say that he is alive, and that he asks that this matter may be inquired into, since this destruction has come upon him in his own home, in consequence of his sitting still, according to his promise. I have not seen the King myself. He was in the bush country, near Ulundi, but did not mean to stay there. He has two assegal wounds in the thigh, but neither of them serious, and he sent Baloni, an inneeku, to tell the chiefs to send down this message, and also to let Mnyamana know that he the King, is alive. Nomahobodiya reached Bishopstowe on August 4th. He was one of those who had brought down the King's letter of July 16th, and had hurried back to Zululand to learn the truth, on the first report of the surprise at Ulundi. He and Kukula state as follows :- No impi had gone out from Ulundi; there were portions of nine regiments there, but two of them only in. name, as their companies were not filled up.
The King had intended to send three or four regiments to Mayamana's assistance on hearing that Usibepu's party; had sent an impi into the King's territory to support Hamu in his rebellion. But when these regiments had been prepared and were ready to start they were stopped by Mr. Fynn, who came to the King and said : You are forbidden by the conditions to send out any impi. Have nothing to do with Mnyamana. Do you just remain quietly at home, and let the enemy come and attack you here in your own place, that it may be plain that you a not responsible for the fighting. So the King dive way, which greatly disheartened the men, for the impi was broken up that is, the men were not kept in fighting array, but were set to work instead, in cutting wood for the building of the kraal, &c. So it came to pass that Waibepu's impi was first seen spreading itself out to surround the kraal-one portion

huts. The alarm was given by one of our own burned it, killing chiefs and old men, women, attendants, and numbers of the working women children. The dead bodies of three of his wives Plumbe 2 for 18, and Bunbury one for 30. had been given to him in England." How the Being in a minority of 175, a follow on was King was saved we know from Baleni, who was

o, and Vaughan was "leg before" to the same | were bushes near the stream, but as he reached trundler at 16. Gordon and Whyte then in- them and was partially hidden by them, four creased the total to 60, when the last named had asseguis were thrown, two of which struck the to retire, caught by Farquhar off Hendry for a ground; the other two wounded him slightly in useful 28, which included one 6, one 5 and three the thigh. He then turned and asked them, 3's. Wodchouse joined Gordon, and runs again What, do you, my own people, stab me with came very rapidly, until Hendry broke down the | assegais?" The young men who had thrown the Buff's defence, and 8 wickets were down for 82 asseguis asked one another, "Who is it?" Haliruns. Gordon had made 34, including eight jana, one of the indunas, said, "It is the King! 3's, by correct cricket. Wise was again un- Do you not hear that it is the King?" Said they fortunate, Bunbury bowling him for "a duck." | "We thought that it was Ziwedu," and these four Hawkins assisted Wodehouse to raise the total turned and fled. Halijana and Msikiza, and a to or, at which figure the latter failed to stop one | good many others approached a little and sat down from Hendry, after scoring 14, in which were [the attitude of respect], and spoke to the King two fours and a two. Two overs later Hawkins | saying, "Yes, Sir [ this is your own doing ]. Why gave Hare an easy chance off Bunbury, and the | didyou cast off Usibepu, who fought for you against innings closed for 97. "The Remainder" were the English, and before, too, at Ndondakusuka thus victorious by an innings and 78 runs. [ in the Zulu Civil war of 1866]? why on your Plumbe was most successful with the ball, his 5 | return from England did you not at once sumwickets costing only 13 runs. Hendry had 3 for mon up the Mandhlakazi to you instead of trusting to the iziggoza [ the opposite party in the old civil war, but here used generally for the southern in opposition to the northern tribes ] All this would then never have happened." The

King made no reply, and after a while they all went quietly away. Then he said, "Come children, let us be going;" and he and the two girls, the only ones with him who were left alive, went their way also, unmolested. These words were told to Baleni, the induna of Nomcoba, by the King himself.

AMOY RACES.

PROGRAMME: MONDAY AND TUESDAY, 7th and 8th January

FIRST DAY, 7TH JANUARY. GRIFFIN PLATE, a Sweepstakes of \$15 each, with \$100 added; second pony to receive 25 per

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\$5. Three quarters of a mile. FOOCHOW CUP, (Presented); value \$---; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; entrance One mile and three quarters.

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China Ponies; weights as per scale; winner of Foochow Cup 7hs. extra: entrance \$5. One mile and a half.

SECOND DAY, 8TH JANUARY. TE MAA-CHIN CUP, (Presented); value \$for all China Ponics that have never run previous to this meeting; weights as per scale; their hair. entrance \$5. Half a mile.

CHALLENGE CUP, value \$250; for all Amoy owned Ponies; to be won two consecutive years by a Pony or Ponies the bond fide property of the same owner or owners; weights as per scale; entrance \$10. One mile.

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By Order of the General Committee, \_ a A. O'D. GOURDIN, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 6th November, 1883.

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Court of San Francisco had ruled. It

may, however, be that what the Cali-

fornian Court means to lay down is that

British subjects, for the purpose of getting

privilege of residence in San Francisco-

that a Chinaman born in Hong Kong be-

fore the place was ceded to the English;

or not born there at all, but natural-

ised as a British subject, is in a different

position from An Song as regard status-

that he is, in fact, still within the scope

of the Exclusion Act of 1882. That would

raise one or two nice points in Interna-

tional law, and it is not a contention easy

to substantiate. But unlike the reported

ruling of Judge Field of San Francisco,

TELEGRAMS.

MINISTERIAL MOVEMENTS IN FRANCE.

The French Minister of Foreign Affairs has

left Paris, and has been replaced by the Presi-

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

As will, be noted from the programme publish-

ed in another column, the Amoy Race Meeting

has been fixed for the 7th and 8th of January

the next English mail, left Singapore for this

post on the 3rd instant, and may be expected

WILLIAM AUSTIN, 30, of England, a marine on

board the Victor Emanuel, wearing two good

conduct badges, was committed for trial at the

Supreme Court this morning by Mr. Wodehouse,

on suspicion of having set fire to some bedding

in a room on the 2nd floor of licensed-brothel-

No. 35, Stanley Street, on the night of the 2nd

instant. It appears the prisoner was anxious to

make his defence at the Police Court, but on the

THE following charters have been effected in

Amoy during the past fortnight:-Guiding Star,

8,000 peculs Newchang and Amoy, 25 lay days

18 cents per pecul; Annie, 423 tons register, to

Samarang and Sourabya, 25 lay days, \$1,500;

gapore-to-Shanghai,-\$3,900 ;- Chateaubriand,

10,000 peculs, hence to Singapore, to lay days,

by the locomotive and killed. It is well to know

THREE scamen of the American ship Wildwood,

named Olson, Murphy, and Stephen, were sen-

tenced by Captain Thomsett this morning to

three months' hard labour each, at the order of

the Captain, for deserting from their ship.

They each positively refused to return to duty.

This is the second time these men have deserted

here. Upon the last occasion they were sent on

board in charge of the police, and then com-

plained of ill treatment at the hands of the 1st

and and mates, and also in respect to their food-

There would seem to be something rotten in the

FROM what we hear, the Hongkong Artillery

Volunteers appear to be doing a good deal of

work in a quiet way. We learn that on Saturday

afternoon next, the squad will parade at Kowloon

and go through various gun drill movements

with mountain pieces. After the parade the

Volunteers will be regaled with a spread in

Mr. Chater's bungalow, provided by the officers

will soon be formed, and are very pleased that

such is the case. The Volunteer movement,

which seems to have hung fire for some time

past, would now appear to be receiving that at-

tention which it justly deserves from the young

WE are sorry to hear that the Temperance Hall

is in a bad way so far as funds are concerned.

We are glad to learn that several talented

ladies and gentlemen have already promised

their help, and that; some members of the

Choral Society have expressed their willingness

to assist. Such an undertaking as this is worthy

most excellently conducted, we hope the present

compaign will meet with all the success it

state of Denmark.

men of the colony.

advice of his friends he reserved it.

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it is not utterly untenable.

dent of the Council of Ministers.

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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1883.

THE excited controversy which has recently been raging along the Pacific Coast, and in other parts of the United States, in consequence of the different judicial decisions lately given as to the scope of the Chinese THE P. and O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Nepaul, with Exclusion Act passed by Congress a year ago, has doubtless been observed with attention by our local merchants and shippers to arrive here on the 9th. interested in the traffic between Hongkongand California. And the further development of this technical difficulty in excluding the Chinese from the United States, a difficulty as unexpected as it was unforeseen; will-be closely watched. The London Daily News, in dealing with the matter from a legal point of view, after remarking that the much enduring individual picturesquely described by Mr. Dan Kearney as the 'leprous heathen," is causing the United States Law Courts a great deal of annoyance, very impartially reviews the salient features of the judicial decisions which have brought about the present deadlock.

Hermine, 7,000 peculs, hence to Bankok, 7 lay Our contemporary refers to the late dedays,\$325; Chateaubriand, 10,000 peculs, Sincision in the Circuit Court at San Francisco, which ruled that Chinese born at Hongkong claiming to be British subjects have \$450; Brunette, 10,00 peculs, hence to Singano right to enter the United States in pore, to lay days, \$500. defiance of the Chinese Exclusion Act A TOUCHING story of a mother's devotion comes passed by Congress, and points out that this, on the face of it, seems to be a flat. line between Sottegem and Alost was attendcontradiction of the decision given the other day by Judge Nelson, of the Circuit Court at Boston, in the celebrated case of An Song, but admits that it is just possible that there may be an explanation forth the bank the very second before she was caught. coming of the seeming discrepancy. Song, it will be remembered, was a ship's | that the brave woman did not die in vain; the carpenter, who ran away from service and | child escaped with a few bruises. settled in Boston. When the authorities. tried to remove him under the provisions of the Chinese Exclusion Act, his counsel argued that as he was born in Hongkong after it was ceded to England, he was not "a Chinese labourer" in terms of the because he was not, and never had been, a subject of the Emperor of China. This argument convinced the Court, and as the bulk of the immigrantsfrom China are British subjects, or would claim to be such, it was obvious that the traditional coach-and-six had been driven through the Exclusion Act., Californians were of course indignant, and it is to be hoped that the judgment of the Circuit Court of San Francisco has not been influenced by their outcry against Judge NELSON.

. There is not the least doubt that Judge of the corps. We also hear that another battery NELSON took the only possible view of the one point at issue which a lawyer could take. That point is this: - Is there anything in the Act of 1882 to show that It was meant to apply to Chinamen not subjects of the Chinese Emperor? To us it seems impossible to say that there The Act cites as its raison d'être the fifth and sixth clauses of the once famous Burlinghame Treaty, by which China and the United States agreed to let each other's subjects come and go in each other's territory on terms of reciprocity. It cites the supplementary treaty with China of 17th November, 1880, by which it was agreed that this absolute right of her subjects to reside in the United States might be modified, and it was under this stipulation Congress gained power to pass the prohibitory measures which were contemplated in this treaty, and which it passed last year. But all through, it is plain that the purpose of the Exclusion Act is to apply these measures only to the persons to whom the two treaties refer—that is, to subjects of the Emperor of China. Hence, as Judge NELSON, of Massachusetts, said in his judgment, "the term Chinese labourers," as used in the Act, must have the same deserves.

and must be held to mean the subjects of frigate Duke of Edinburgh steamed out of the the Government of China to whom the harbor through the Ly-ee-moon Pass.

THERE are reported to be two policemen in the provisions of the treaty relate." It is New York force who decline proffered cigars. therefore absurd to pretend that the Barnum is on his way to the Empire city as fast Act of 1882 can apply to Chinamen as steam will take him, and has offered Jumbo who are subjects of the Queen of England, and yet this is what the Circuit

KANKAKEE has a justice who beats them all the way of doing up a job of matrimonial splicing with neatness and despatch. This is his formula:-"Have 'er?" "Yes." Have 'im?" Chinamen must not be manufactured into "Yes." "Married, 2 dols."

> AT Conway, in Wales, there is a monument erected in the church to the memory of a dead worthy, Alderman Hoopes. His epitaph consists of the following sentence: "He was the father of twenty-seven children, and was the forty-first child of his father."

WE read that at Balmoral workmen were busily engaged preparing a foundation for the statue of the late John Brown, which was to be erected by command of the Queen. It was expected that the work would be ready early in October. The site is south of Balmoral, and visible from the windows of the castle.

ONCE again the United States is to the fore. celebrated embryologist has solved the problem of cultivating oysters artificially by means of impregnated eggs. In this way he has in forty six days grown many millions of oysters threequarters of an inch in diameter. By his system one oyster can be induced to produce ten million eggs in a year. Hoorah!

THE wife of the ex-King of Portugal, and, therefore, the stepmother of the present: King, was Miss Elise Hensler, once the leading singer in King's Chapel, Boston. She was appointed Court Singer to the King and Queen of Portugal soon after her appearance in grand opera at Lisbon, and was morganatically united to the King upon the death of the Queen.

"So the engagement is broken off?" queried the first young lady as they sat down in the carriage. "Yes." "And you have sent back al his letters?" "Every one." "And the locket? "Yes," "And the diamond ring?" "Yes." "I wouldn't have done it. I'd have kept the ring anyhow." "Well, I did intend to; but the jeweller said the stones were only glass."

THE Sydney Bulletin says that Lillian Russell, known in America as the "Queen of the Dudes, and who is now causing a good deal of sensation in London by her beauty, has never been distinguished by any particular moral lustre of character; in fact, it is notorious that she is quite as frail as she is fair, and that's saying a good deal. Lovely Lillian's little laches, however, need scarcely be wondered at when her mother's opinions are known. This uncon ventional mama "believes strongly in propagation on purely scientific principles, and strongly condemns marriage." She thinks that girls should not be subordinate to hus bands, but should be self-reliant and independent, entering into social partnerships when they desire and terminating them the same easy reasons. As, out of five daughters, three of them, who are married, are all separated from their husbands; while, on the other ha from Belgium. The wife of a gateman on the Lillian, without marrying at all, has been separated twice as often as the other three put together; ing to her husband's 'duty when her little boy it would seem that as far as self-reliance goes, strayed in front of a fast train. Without a Lillian's mother's daughters have admirably fulmoment's hesitation the mother sprang across filled their mama's expectations. the rails, and, seizing her child, tossed it into

THE Sydney Bulletin compliments the charming-preservation of peace, and the Austro-German Beaudet as follows:--"And now a paragraph or two about the Gaiety. We went to see "Blow for Blow" on Saturday night. It was funny to an extent. Johnny Hall was funny, Jessie Grey was funny, and little Louise funnier than all. Miss Beaudet were a man, instead of being the fairy that she is, we would humbly suggest to her that there is such a thing as being too. tragic. True passion is neither pyrotechnic nor. pompous. Some actors and actresses are like some singers—they think to make up by volume of voice for what they lack in tone. Rigidity of utterance might become a ghost from the other world, but it does not become a being of flesh and blood in this. Miss Beaudet goes to such a tragic pitch that she says the most ordinary things in a hollow, funereal way, which at first makes one imagine she is reciting the service for the dead. "John Der-rumond!" "Milder-red Kertradock!" Why this? We are sadly afraid Miss Beaudet has fallen into an evil style. But she is amusing. When she towers to her full height in a spasm of passion, she looks like an excited canary. We are sorry to have to say this"-and then the critic lapses into poetry, which, being slightly inferior to Byron at his best, scarcely merits reproduction. CAPTAIN DREVAR, who has been staying at

Dover with the expressed intention of crossing the Channel in a boat exhibited by him at the Fisheries Exhibition, launched on Sept. 13, from near the Admiralty Pier, a raft, constructed of an eighteen-gallon cask and a rough wooden framework, with the intention of drifting with the tide With a view to improve the undesirable existing to Folkestone. Mr. Drevar, who advocates the state of affairs, it has been resolved to give raft as a means of saving life at sea in case of an monthly concerts, commencing on the 15th inst, emergency, stood in the barrel, took no proviwhen a small charge for admission will be made, sions of any kind, and, with the exception of a to enable this eminently deserving institution to single our cast himself, adrift, to the mercy; keep pace with the times. The concerts will be of wind and tide. There was a strongunder the management of Mr. James Francis, north-easterly wind during the night, and who has previously conducted these entertain- as no tidings could be had of him, the advenour talented amateurs have lent their aid in was thought to have cost Mr. Drevar his life. steamer fell in with him in mid-channel near the Varne Lightship, and except that he was wet about the lower part of the body and somewhat exhausted, Mr. Drevar was none the worse for of all support, and as the Temperance Hall his cruise, and his raft was in the same condition concerts have hitherto been of a high class, and | as when he left Dover the previous night. He states that he drifted past Folkestone, and when the tide set in to the eastward he was carried

signification as when used in the treaty, Just as we were going to press the Russian | Some land in the city of London was lately sold at the rate of \$3,300,000 an acre.

> COLONEL Montgomery, commanding the expedition to Zululand, has succumbed to the effects of a snake bite. While hunting near the Lower Tugela on horseback he was bitten above the boot. Colonel Hawthorne has assumed the command pending the arrival of Colonel Curtis, of the Inniskillings.

CARDINAL Manning is shortly expected at the Vatican. It is understood that his Eminence, besides treating upon certain personal questions, will discuss with the Vatican the establishment of a Catholic university in London. He will bring to the Pope a considerable amount in Peter's Pence.

IT is believed that at the next Consistory, to be held in March 1884, the Pope will appoint three new cardinals-namely, Mgr. Golgenbauer, Archbishop of Vienna; Mgr. Bauer, Bishop of Salzburg; and Mgr. Masella, Apostolic Nuncio at Lisbon. It is also probable that Mg. San Felice, Archbishop of Naples, who made such layed when the German Government will take noble exertions on behalf of the sufferers by the the initiative of a proposal which will have a Ischian calamity, will receive a cardinal's hat startling effect throughout Europe. I am as-

resulting in something practical, and the Builder, describes the precautions against fire now im- other members of the alliance, which now emposed, either wholly or in part, by law, upon all braces the whole of Continental Europe; excepthe Vienna theatres. The chief dependence is ing France, Russia, Denmark, and the Scanplaced upon the fire curtain. Once every evening at least this curtain must be lowered to its full extent in the presence of the audience. This is done between the acts, the intention being to render it absolutely certain that the curtain is in working order, and that there may be no flaw in the mechanism to be discovered at the wrong time. This nightly rehearsal the fire curtain is said to render people cool when they see it descend, and to prevent their taking fright at it as a sign of danger. For this reason it is let down at unexpected moments, and sometimes more than once in the course of the evening. Another precaution now universally employed is to burn candles as well as gas in al. the passages, galleries, and even in the body of the theatre itself, so that if the gas should be extinguished, or have to be cut off suddenly, the people would still be able to find their way out by candle light. The supplies of water on the roof are also placed under official control.

THE semi-official organ of the Russian Foreign office, the Nord, contains some interesting com- the provisions of Ordinance No. 11 of 1844. ments on Mr. Gladstone's interview with the Czar. "There are," it says, "some people who would prove that no importance is to be attached to the interviews of Fredensborg and the decks of the Pembroke Castle." It, however, contends that even if Mr. Gladstone's voyage was undertaken without any political design, the visit of D. Ruttonjec. the Emperor of Russia to a statesman who plays so considerable a role in the Government of England cannot be a matter Indifference. The Nord characterises as "perfeetly-ridiculous" the reports that have been set affort about the conclusion of alliances and adds: "England is no less desirous than Russia for the maintenance of peace, whose first condition is the maintenance of the status quo in the Balkan Peninsula. Any understanding between these two Powers would have other meaning than the strengthening of tranquillity in the Balkan Peninsula by the peaceable and normal development of the populations which inhabit it." The Nord asserts that the interest of both England and Russia being the alliance having the same aim, the Austrian and German press should, instead of complaining. congratulate itself on there being two such powerful auxiliaries to ensure the success of the pacific policy of two empires.

THE pupils at the Italian Convent, Caine Road, gave an operatic representation in the small theatre attached to the establishment yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large and fashionable audience, which included His Excellency the Governor, who was accompanied by the without any demur. Misses Bowen, the Hon. W. H. Marsh and Mrs. Marsh, Bishop Raimondi, Monsieur de Dejardin, consul for France, and Madame de Dejardin, Mr. A. G. Romano, consul for Brazil, Mr. J. Loureiro, consul-general for Portugal Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fleming, Mr. Jno. J. Francis and a host of other notables. The piece selected was of course a sacred one, and detailed the scenes leading up to the martyrdom of St. Dorothea. This young Christian Heroine, we are told, was born of a rich and noble family in Cæsarea, and after being prived of her parents at an early age educated by a pious matron named silla. Tradition says that Dorothea suffered martyrdom for her faith in the early part of the fourth century of the Romish Church, during the tenth persecution ordered by the cruel Diocletian, Emperor of Pagan Rome. The young girls who essayed the leading parts in the repregentation had evidently bestowed careful study on the tasks allotted them, and worked very hard indeed to do justice to themselves and credit to their musical instructress. Candour compels us to that the vocal efforts of the youthful performers were not particularly meritorious, still it may be conceded that under all the circumstances they got through a difficult undertaking fairly well. As evidence of the care bestowed in getting up the opera, it may be stated that throughout the whole three acts not a single hitch occurred nor ments with much tact and ability. As many of ture, which was regarded as a toolbardly one, was the prompter's voice heard once. The dresses and stage effects were exceedingly pretty times past to keep the Temperance Hall going, About midday on the 14th, however, the steam-in not filtogether appropriate-Dorothea and the it is to be hoped they will readily come forward ship Blythvills put into the bay and signalled Roman Pro-Consul, Apricio, in white kid gloves now that there is more urgent need of help. for a boat, which put off and brought back the were hardly in the fashion which prevailed missing man and his raft, It seems that the during the reign of Diocletian and the children in the choruses did capitally, the final scene. and the chorus of angels forming a very effective tableau. We believe that it is the intention of the Lady Superior of the Italian Convent to sanction another performance of "St. Dorothea" for the especial gratification of the rising generation. This kindly meant arrangement should. afford the youngsters an opportunity of passing a most enjoyable afternoon.

F. W. Peterson of the "German" Tavern, and A COOLIE named Wong Aluk, with four previous convictions recorded against him, was committed for trial at the Supreme Court by Captain. Thomsett this morning, for being concerned with three others, who are not in custody, in the applicant had held a licence 7 years. On attempting to rob a farmer of 100 tacls of silver on the 29th ultimo.

WHILE the Parisians are discussing the possibilities of a war with China (says the Paris correspondent of the Standard), they are overlooking a very serious and much greater danger nearer home. The interviews between the German and Austrian Emperors, between Prince Bismarck, Count Kalnoky, and General Manteuffel, and between Prince Hohenlohe and the King of Italy, ought to have warned them that there was danger at hand far nearer home than China. Roumania, Servia, Italy, and Spain have now become members of the Austro-German' Alliance, and I have reason to believe that this alliance will very shortly have a practical result. It may not be next week or next month, but it will certainly not be long desured by a person whom I know to be in THE tragedy of the Ring Theatre appears to be | the confidence of Prince Bismarck that Germany has agreed with Austria and dinavian Kingdoms, to propose a general Congress, with a view to a mutual and general disarmament. As to the time at which this thunderbolt of war is to be launched under pacific pretences I cannot say. But I am assured it has been assented to by Austria, Spain, and Italy, and I can hardly suppose that some inkling of the matter has not reached her Majesty's Government. Some knowledge of it has certainly reached Russia, and it would render the coup d'état in Bulgaria intelligible enough. On the other hand, a Madrid correspondent telegraphs that public opinion in Spain has so strongly pronounced against any German alliance that the official organs have declared that King Alfonso's journey to Berlin and Vienna is not likely to lead to any treaty or alliance at

#### ANNUAL GRANTING OF LICENCES

· A special meeting of Justices of the peace was held at the Magistracy this forenoon, under consider applications for licences for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors during the year commencing on the 1st proximo. There were present :- Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, chairman, Dr. Adams, Messrs. A. Seth, H. C. Setna, F. H. Arjance, H. M. Meta, J. S. Brewer, C. Ford, and

The first application brought forward was that of J. Gomes of the "Welcome" Tavern. which was granted, there being no police objection; the licence had been held for 14 years. The next application was from John Juster of the Central Hotel, who had held a licence years. Mr. Wodehouse said that applicant was fined \$5 on the 8th August last, for using threatening language, and that he kept a man in his employ who was convicted of felony.-Chief Inspector Horspool remarked that a man had been robbed in the house, but that was not much against the proprietor .-Dr. Adams enquired how long the man convicted of felony had been back in the house .-Mr. Horspool said he did not know, but he would recommend that he should be got rid of -Mr. Juster was then sent for, and informed by the Chairman that it appeared he kept a man in his employ who had been convicted of felony and that it was not proper to keep such a person There was no objection otherwise, but it was not proper to keep this man .- Mr. Juster replied that then he would discharge him. The man he said, had had nothing to do, and since he came back he had behaved himself very well He was not a scafaring man,-Mr. Wodehouse, after some conversation with Dr. Adams, said was not necessary to discharge, him, since he was behaving himself well, and that the licence was granted.

The application of John Humby of the "London Inn, who had held a licence for 12 years, was the next considered, and it was granted

The application of James S. Lucas for a licence for the "Rose, Shamrock and Thistle," Hotel was the next brought forward. Mr. Wodehouse said that Lucas held an interim licence for two months, and that there were strong objections to its renewal unless he showed that the man Robertson, who previously held the licence, had nothing to do with the business. It was believed that Lucas was merely a blind for Robertson a kind of dummy, and it was a question whether a licence should be granted to him. There was an unfavourable report of Robertson, who had been charged with maliciously destroying perty,-his own.-Mr. Horspool said he had been told a falschood by Lucas, who said that Robertson had gone to Ceylon, whereas found he was still in the colony. Mr. Horspool n speaking about this matter used the names Sorablee " and " " Lucas " interchangeably whereupon one of the Parsee Justices asked an explanation. Mr. Horspool explained that Lucas was known by the name of "Sorables when he was in the police force, but that he had since changed his cognomen to "Lucas. It was conceded, however, that the change was perfectly legitimate. Mr. Horspool continuing, said that unless Lucas could clearly prove that he himself was the proprietor, he should not be granted a licence. Lucas was then would carry on the house in his own name, and that he was not in any way interested with Robertson in the business. "He had no interest" with him since the last row.-Mr. Wodehouse asked for a guarantee to this effect, whereupon Lucas handed him some papers, of what hature we are not aware. The licerce is being carried on by Lucas till the end of the present month-Horspool remarked that if Lucas could month that Robertson has nothing to do with the business, a licence might be granted . It was eventually decided to let the application stand over until this day week, 13th, at 11 o'clock, and Lucas was directed to put himself

opposition.

The applications of John Olson, of the "Ham- Hendry, and Bunbury, who had taken the ball burg." Tavern, Louis Kirchmann of the "Land from Farquhar, in his second over had D'Aeth we live in," J. R. White of the "Sallors' Home," I smartly caught by Gamble, the Bulls hard hitter

Jesse Cook of the "Stag" Hotel, were then considered and granted without opposition. The application of F. A. Linde of the "Star" Hotel came next in order. Mr. Wodchouse said the 11th January last he was fined \$10 for keeping a disorderly house, and had also been fined

a dollar, on two occasions for allowing an unmuzzled ferocious dog to be at large. He thought he ought to be cautioned, but there was no objection otherwise. Dr. Adams, said he considered the applicant should not be allowed to have a ferocious dog, especially as he had been convicted twice.-Mr. Horspool said it was very objectionable to have such a dog about the house. -Mr. Linde was then called, and told by the Chairman that there was no objection to granting him a licence except in regard to his dog-The applicant replied that he was going to give all his dogs away, having promised them to a German steamer, when she came back here,which would be probably in 10 or 12 days; he undertook to get rid of the dogs .- Mr. Wodehouse told the applicant that he would have to be careful, as he had been fined \$10. The licence was granted on condition that heget rid of the dogs. It was remarked casually by Mr. Horspool that the police considered the so-called ferocious dog s rather quiet sort of creature.

Mr. E. Jones Hughes' application for a licence for the Hongkong Hotel was the next considered. Some enquiries having been made by Dr. Adams as to whether the licence was applied for on behalf of the Directors, Mr. Hughes was called in, and stated they were going to run the Hotel under a manager. They had got a steward, who was for the present going to look after the bar and take charge. On next transfor day they would get the licence transferred ing to enable them to run the Hotel from the 1 1st of next month. The application was made on behalf of the Company, so as not to have to close the hotel at the end of the month. It was a question whether the manager could remain in Hongkong, or come back by the 1st. December. In reply to Mr. Wodehouse, Mr. Hughes said he was not residing on the premises, but that if necessary he would do so to look after the hotel. The licence wasthen granted. This concluded the business of the meeting.

#### CRICKET.

UNIVERSITIES AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS V. THE REMAINDER.

A match; twelve aside, between teams representing the above named contingents was commenced on the Cricket Ground on the afternoon of Friday, the and instant. The weather was everything that could be desired for enjoyable cricket and the "olo man" had selected in capital pitch. The non-descripts took first innings and some good play was shown, the Universities and Public Schools being treated to a rare dose of leather hunting. mainly through the exertions of Rice and Hynes, these two seasoned batsmen keeping possession of the wickets throughout the afternoon, and eventually retiring with 75 and 90 respectively standing to their credit in the score book - At gunfire the privately educated ones were still in possession, having amassed the respectable total of 210 runs with three wickets still to fail. There was a large attendance of spectators to witness the match, and proceedings were wonderfully enlivened by the presence of the band of the French flagship, Victorieuse, which, by the kind permission of Admiral Meyer and the officers of the vessel, played a choice selection of musiciin excellent style,

Shortly after two o'clock the two Commissariat men, Rice and Hare, assumed the defensive. D'Acth and Lloyd being deputed to open the attack. Each batsmen made three off D'Acth's first essay, and the score was quickly raised to 14. when Hare, who had totalled half a dozen. sent the second ball of Lloyd's fourth over into the safe keeping of Jamett. Bunbury had no. sooner joined Rice than the left hander opened his shoulders and sent one from D'Aeth clean out of the ground for 5, and as the "Grand Old Buff" played up well scoring a dozen in five hits, matters were pretty lively for the fielders. Just when Bunbury appeared well set, he was unlucky enough to send one back to the bowler (D'Aeth) which, it is almost needless to say, was gratefully accepted. Two for 37. Hynes was next man in and the stand of the day was made. Both batsmen hit the bowling to all parts of the field, causing numerous bowling changes to be resorted to. Porter. Hawkins, and Jarrett all having a turn but without success. The total was increased to 177-140 having been put on since the fall of the previous wicket when Lloyd clean bowled Rice, the retiring batsman having compiled 75 -one 5, eleven 3's, &c. -by a sterling display of cricket. Farquhar was now associated with the old un, but after scoring 3 he was sent back, and his successor. Greaves. also failed to stay, D'Ach shattering his timbers after he had contributed a two and a single to the sum total. Five for 106. Plumbe folned Hynes, and the old Cambridge player Wise took the ball from Jairett. The new comer failed to score, and after Major Cochrant and Hynes had raised the total to 206. Wise, assisted by Hawkins at square leg, sent the pair to the Pavilion with successive balls. the catch which dismissed Hynes being an excellent bit of cricket, for which Hawkins was descrivedly applauded. Hynes had put together 90,-one 5, two 4's, seventeen 3's, three 2's and singles-by a first class display of hard hitting, and Hendry, and Dr. Gamble kept their wickets intact until gun fire, when the stumps were drawn for the night—the score register showing 210 runs for the loss of 8 wickets.

Play was resumed on Saturday morning shortly after II o'clock. Hendry and Dr. Gamble, the not outs of last night continuing their innings. A good stand was made, and, as the bowling was very weak at the commencement, runs came rapidly, Hendry, was eventually stumped by Brackenbury off Jarrett for a well played 21. and his partner had knocked up 21 before succumbing to a catch by a "sub" from the same bowlet Sadler and Cottell jointly added 33 to the score, when Hawkins bowled the first named, the innings closing for the formidable total of ing 34 runs Jarrett had 3 for 67, Lloyd 2 for 91, D'Acth 2 for 90 and Hawkins one for 7.

The Universities and Schools made an ex-ceedingly poor show only Potter (25) and Gordon (17) offering any effective resistance to the bowling of Hendry and Hynes. The eleventh wicket eventually fell with the total at 99. 18, Plumbe a for 18 and Bunbury one for 20. Following on sheir second ipnings was still more disastrous, six wickets falling for 9 runs. Then Whyte and Cordon got together and made a determined stand. When our report left at 4.45 the total had reached 30 with both batsmen

meanwhile in communication with Chief Inspector Horspool, with a view to arranging matters.

Dorabjee Nowrojee, the well-known co-lessee of the Hongkong Flotel, was the next applicant for a licence for a new Hotel he intends to start on Praya Central, to be called the "Victoria Hotel." This application was ignanted without opposition.

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W. H. MEDHURST, Commissioner for Immigration,

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address in full ; and same will be received at the

Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at. San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 per cent. from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 per cent. will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 per cent. from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through Jares from China and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland,

Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.

dressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 50A, Queen's Road Central

Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo

should be sent to the Company's Offices, ad-

F. E. FOSTER Agent. Hongkong, 27th October, 1883.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

SECOND and FINAL BONUS of Five 1 per cent. on Contributions and a DIVI-DEND of EIGHTEEN DOLLARS and TWENTY-NINE CENTS per SHARE for the year 1882, will be Payable on MONDAY, the 22nd instant. Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.
By Order of the Board.

DOUGLAS JONES, Acting Secretary. HongRong, 22nd October, 1883.

# Commercial.

THIS DAY.

Business is very quiet in the Share Market to-day, the only transaction which came under our notice being a sale of China Sugars at 145 for the end of the year. Banks are rather weaker, offers to sell at the reduced rate of 189 premium failing to induce buyers to invest. Nothing else requires special mention.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank- ... Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-New Issue 189 per cent. premium, sellers.
Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$625 per

share, buyers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$73 per

North China Insurance-Tls. 1,400 per share. Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$1121 per

Yangtsze Insurance Association-Tls. 1015 per

Chinese Insurance Company-\$215 per, share, On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150 per share.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$355 per hare, buyers. China Fire Insurance Company-\$370 per share,

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company-571 per cent. premium. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. -- \$50 per share, premium, buyers. China and Manila Steam Ship Company-118

per share. Hongkong Gas Company-\$80 per share. Hongkong Hotel. Company-\$150 per share,

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Li mited-25 per cent. dis., buyers. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$142 per share, sellers.

-China-Sugar-Kelining Company (Debentures)-2 per cent. premium. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$82

per share, buyers. Hongkong Ice Company-\$155 per share Hongkong and China Hakery Company, Limited

-\$80 per share, buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1878-11 per cent. prem. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1881-2 percent. prem.

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Bank Bills, on demand ......4.63. Credits, at 4 months' sight .......4.71. On Demand ......226 On Shanghal.— Bank, sight ......72} Private, 30 days; sight .......731

OPIUM MARKET.-THIS DAY.

NEW MALWA .....per picul, \$535 -(Allowance, Taels 72.) OLD MALWA .....per picul, \$575 (Allowance, Tacls 52.) NEW PATNA, high touch (without choice) per chest ...... \$5729 NEW PATNA, high touch (first choice) per chest..... \$575 NEW PATNA, high touch (bottom) per-NEW PATNA, high touch (second choice)

per chest ..... \$570-NEW PATNA, low touch (without choice) per chest ..... \$570 NEW PATNA, low touch (first choice) per chest......\$5721 NEW PATNA, low touch (bottom) per chest \$575 NEW PATNA, low touch (second choice) per chest ...... \$5671 OLD PATNA, per chest ...... \$5924

NEW BENARES, high touch (without choice) per chest ...... \$560 New Benares, high touch (bottom) perchest......\$565 NEW PERSIAN (best quality) per picul, \$485 @ \$525 OLD PERSIAN (best quality) per picul, \$375 @ \$400 OLD PERSIAN (second quality) per picul, .....\$265 @ \$325

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE

(FROM MESERS, FALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER)." Barometer-4 7.M. ..... 30 150 Thermometer-1 P.M. ...... Thermometer—4 P.M. (Wet bulb)
Thermometer—4 P.M. (Wet bulb)
To-DAY. Thennameter—g A.M. Thermometer-9 A.M. (Wet bulb).....

CHINA, COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Thermometer—Maximum (overnight) 75

THIS DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

BAROMETER,	HONG		AMOY.		SHANG- MAI.		MARILA:	
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drods.-Thermometer, in Fahrenheit degrees and tens kept in the open air in a shaded situation.-Direction of Wind. is registered every two points, N., N.N.E., N.E., etc .--Force of Wind, o calm. I to 1 light broaxs. 3 to 5 moderate. S to 7 fresh. 7 to 8 strong. S to to heavy, 10 to 18 violent.-State of Weather, B. Clear blue sky, C. Cloudy. D. Dristly. P. Fog. G. Foggy. H. Hall. L. Light. plng. M. Misty. O. Overcast. F. Passing showers. Q. Squally. R. Rainy. S. Snow. T. Thunder U. Bad, threatening . V. Visibility. W. Storm Z. Calm. The etters are repeated to indicate any increase over the mean average of their signification. Rain. The hours of rain for "the previous as hours (noon) are registered from 1 to 64 the quantity of water fillen indicated in inches, teas and

# Shipping.

ARRIVALS.

NAMOA. British steamer, 862, Geo. Westoby, 6th November, Foochow and November, Amoy 4th, and Swatow 5th, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. AMOV, British steamer, 814, D. Herrmann, 6th

November,-Canton 5th November, General.—Siemssen & Co. CHEANG HOCK KIAN, British steamer, 965, F. Webb, 6th November,-Singapore 29th October, General.—Bun Hin Chan.

GLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Nam-vian, French steamer, for Haiphong. Achilles, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. Greyhound, British steamer, for Hoihow, C. T. Hook, British steamer, for Saigon. Goliah, Siamese bark, for Bangkok. Amoy, British steamer, for Shanghai. Hannah W. Dudley, American bark, for New

DEPARTURES. November 5, Chi-yuen, Chinese steamer, for

November 5, Activ, Danish str., for Hoihow. November 6, Cambodia, British steamer, for November 6, Europa, German str., for. Straits

Settlements. November 6, Mensalch, French steamer, for November 6, Anedyr, French steamer, for Sai-

gon and Marseilles. November 6, Ironwaddy, French. steamer, for November 6, Gleneagles, British steamer, for

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Namoa, str., from Foochow, &c .- Messrs. Volpicelle and Goularte, and 112 Chinese. Per Cheang Hock Kian, str., from Singapore. -240 Chinese for Coast.

Per Diamante, str., for Amoy .- 2 Europeans and 121 Chinese. Per Gleneagles, str., for Shanghai .- 3 - Euro-

The British steamship Namoa reports left Foochow on the 2nd instant, Amoy on the 4th, and Swatow on the 5th. Experienced light and moderate winds to Swatow. From thence to port had moderate monsoon with dulf cloudy weather and light rain. In Swatow the steamships Tientsin, Keelung, Lusitania, Picciola, Gervase: Kung-bai, and Yung-ching.

4	Gervase, Kung-pin, and Lang-vining.
١	VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE PROM PORTS IN
١	JAPAN, CHINA, AND MANILA.  Isla de Mindanao (s.)ManilaSept. 3  Orestes (s.)ShanghaiSept. 6
١	Parlacie (e) FoochowSept 6
١	Pacaxo (s.)
	Glenfalloch (s.)ShanghaiSept. 11 Aberdeen (s)Foochow, &cSept. 12
	Rossivn (s.)Poccnow
	Priam (s.)ShanghaiSept. 17
۱	Ulysses (s.)
	ArabSept. 24
	Deucalion (s.)ShanghaiSept. 26 Sophocles (s.)HongkongSept. 26
	PROPERTY AT HONGKONG.

VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. (Corrected to Date). Theodor Ruger :..... New York ..... June 15 Elizabeth......Penarth ......July Jupiter ..... Cardiff ....... July -Osaka .........London ......july Fotomi Maru (s.) .....Antwerp ......Aug. 9 Wilhelm Homeyer.....London ......Aug. 10 Sarpedon (s.) .....Liverpool ......Aug. 21 Dakota..........Cardiff ..........Sept. 4 Andromeda ......Penarth ......Sept. 15 Constanze .....Liverpool ......Sept. 20

## Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE

For Hoihow and Pakhol.-Per Greyhound, to-day, the 6th instant, at 5 P.M. For Halphong.-Per Nam-vian, to-day, the 6th instant, at 5 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, & Foochow .-- Per Douglas, to-day, the 6th instant, at 5 P.M.

For Swatow and Bangkok .- Per Mongkut, tomorrow, the 7th instant, at 7.30 A.M. For Amoy.-Per Cheang Hock Kian, to-morrow, the 7th instant, at 9.30 A.M.

For Shanghai,-Per Amoy, to-morrow, the 7th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Amoy, Tamsul, & Taiwanfoo .- Per Albay, to-morrow, the 7th instant, at 3.30 P.M... For Amoy and Manila,-Per Diamante, tomorrow, the 7th instant, at 4.30 P.M.

For Straits and Bombay.-Per Bangalore, on Friday, the 9th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Hiogo, and Yokohama.-Per Zambesi, on Friday, the 16th instant, at 11.30

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet "ROHILLA," will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 13th instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits. Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australasian Colonies. The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet "OCEANIC," will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 17th instant, with Malls for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru,

&c., which will be closed as follows:-At 2.15 P.M. Registry ceases. At 2.30 P.M. Post-office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time

of departure. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "Petho," will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th instant. with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (via Madras), the Australasian Colonies,

Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL

The following hours are observed in closing

Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet :-DAY OF DEPARTURE. NOON, -- Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M .- Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M .- Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 P.M. Letters may be posted with late fee of

io cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 3.40 P.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of to cents until time

# SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ACHILLES, British steamer, 1,528, C. Anderson, 5th November,—Shanghai 30th October, General.—Butterfield & Swire. ALBAY, British steamer, 366, F. D. Goddard, 4th November, - Talwanfoo 1st November,

Amoy 2nd, and Swa(ow 3rd, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. ARRATOON APCAR, British steamer, 1,392, A. B. Mactavish, 22nd October,-Calculta 7th

October, Penang 13th, and Singapore 16th, Opium, Saltpetre, and Sundries.—D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.—Kowloon Dock. BANGALORE, British steamer, 1,309, J. P. Has-

sell, 4th Nov., -Bombay 14th Oct., General. -P. & O. S. N. Co. CANTON, British steamer, 1,095, J. C. Jaques, 1st November,-Saigon 28th October, Rice and General.-Kwong Yuen.

CHINA, German steamer, 648, Schoer, 13th Oct., -Amoy 11th October, General.-Yuen Fat Hong.-Kowloon Dock. CHOLL'ATON, British steamer, 1,733, James Clark, 26th October,—Newcastle, N.S.W.,

5th October, Coal.-Siemssen & Co. C. T. HOOK, British steamer, 902, W. Jarvis, 28th October, -Saigon 22nd October, Rice, Paddy, and Rice Flour,-Thos. Howard

DIAMANTE, British steamer, 514, R. F. Cullen, 5th November, Manila 2nd November, Hemp and Hides .- Russell & Co. DON JUAN, Spanish steamer, 684, Jose M. Marquez, 29th October,—Manila 26th October,
General.—Brandao & Co.—Cosmopolitan

DOUGLAS, British steamer, 982, Samuel Ashton, ist November, General.—D. Lapraix & Co. ELECTRA. German steamer, 1,161, E. Kaler, 31st October, - Saigon 25th October, Rice. -Siemssen & Co.

EMUY, Spanish steamer, 410, Rementeria, 30th June,-Manila 27th June, General,-Remedios & Co.-Kowloon Dock. FAME, British steamer, 117, A. Stopani,-Hong-

kong and Whampoa Dock Co. GREYHOUND, British steamer, 227, D. Scott, 5th November,-Hoihow 3rd Nov., General.-Adamson, Bell & Co.

HAILOONG, British steamer, 277, .F. Ashton 26th October,-Tamsui 23rd October, and Amoy 25th, General.—D. Lapraik & Co.— Kowloon Dock. HAINAN, British steamer, 281, J. Woone, 20th

October, -- Haiphong 16th October, Pakhoi 17th, and Holhow 19th, General.-Afong Li Yung, Annamite steamer, 150, Chun, 19th June,-Touron 15th June, General.-Chi

MADRAS, British steamer, 1,080, James White Swan, 29th October,-Honolulu ist Oct., General.-Thos. Howard & Co. MIRAMAR, British steamer, 891, Duggan, 1-1st November, -Rangoon 11th October, Penang

16th, Singapore 19th, and Saigon 25th, Rice and Paddy .- Bun Hin & Co. MONGKUT, British steamer, 859, J. H. Loff, 1st November, -Bangkok 24th October, General.-Yuen Fat Hong.

MORAY, British steamer, 1,427, Duncan, 5th November,-Saigon 31st October, Rice.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. NAM-VIAN, French steamer, 435, A. Garceau, ard November,-Haiphong 1st November,

General.-A. R. Marty. OCEANIC, British steamer, 1,808, Davison, 27th October,-San Francisco 27th September, and Yokohama 21st October, Mails and General.-O. & O. S. S. Co.-Cosmopolitan

PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,000, H. H. Lightwood; 4th Nov.,-Bangkok 28th November, Rice and Wood .-

ROMULUS, Spanish steamer, 531, . L. Fremoya, 27th October,-Manila 24th October, Ballast.-Dunn, Melbye & Co.-Kowloon Dock. SEA GULL, American steamer, 48, Hayden, Nov. 24th,-China Traders' Insurance Co. TROMP, Dutch steamer, 137, A. S. Roe, 11th October -- Celebes 27th Sopt., General --

Ed. Schellhass & Co.-For Sale, VORTIGERN, British steamer, 908, J. Brown, 28th October, - Calcutta, and Singapore. 20th October, General.—Ah Yon. WELLE, German steamer, 393, E. F. Piper, 5th November, -Holhow 1st November, Gene-

# ral. - Wieler & Co.

SAILING VESSELS. ASTERIA, British brig, 211, Samuel Cox, 26th September,-Normanton (North Queensland) 18th Sept., Ballast.-Captain. BOTHWELL CASTLE, British bark, 592, James Romney, 26th October,-Newchwang 12th October, Beans,-Chune Cheong Hong.

COMET, German ship, 1,083, Siegener, and Nov. -Cardiff 23rd June, Coals. - Captain.
CHARTES BAL, British ship, 1,431, W. J. Watson. 16th September, Cardiff 6th May, Coals, -Russell & Co.

DIAMOND, British bark, 391, Ness, 31st October, -Kuchinotzu 21st October, Coal.-Butterfield & Swire. ERNST, German 3-m. schooner, E. Hildebrand, 20th October,-Newchwang 17th October,

Beans.-Wieler & Co. GOLIAH, Siamese bark, 542, Roche, 10th Oct., -Whochin 16th September, Wood.-Order. GUSTAV & OSCAR, German ship, 1,352, G. Secmann, 9th October, -Cardiff 1st June, Coals.

-Russell & Co. HAYDN BROWN, American bark, 822, C. H. 1st August, Coals .- Russell & Co. A. BORLAND, American bark, 635, Y. A.

Kent, 8th September,-Newcastle 6th July. Coal.--Russell & Co. MAGIC, British schooner, 214, White, 20th Aug., -Newchwang 25th July, Beans,-Amhold,

MARIE, German bark, 430, Thomaschewsky, 27th August,-Swatow August 10th, Ballast, -Siemssen & Co.-Koowloon Dock. MOUNT LEBANON, British bark, 530, Chas, H

Nelson, 12th Oct.,-Whampoa 11th Oct., -Rozario & Co.-Repairing at Cosmopo-NARDOO, British bark, 379, J. F. Morrison, 29th | China, Siamese brig, 199-Chesua Pau, October,-Newchwang 16th October, Beans. | Doretta, Siamese brig, 300 (Martin)-Phra Wi-

-Siemssen & Co. GIBSON, British bark, 704, F. C. Bailey, 3rd | Envey, Siamese bark, 330 (Hofft)-Hong-moh. Coal.—Borneo Co., Limited. ONRIDA, American ship, 1,130, Carver, 17th Foochow, Siamese brig, 300 (Petersen)-Chinese,

October, Newcastle, N.S.W., 28th August, Coal - Russell & Co. OTTO, German ship, 1,205, Fortmann; 31st Oct., -Shanghai 26th October, Ballast.-Russell

SACHEM, American ship, 1,380, Small, 4th Nov. -Cardiff oth June, Coal. -O. & O. S. S. Co. SEA RIPPLE, British barkentine, 182, A. Rickers, 24th Sept., -- Freemantle 19th August, Sandalwood.-Siemssen & Co.

SPARTAN, American schooner, 85, Ch. Vincent, 26th July,-from Chungchow.-W. H. Ray. S. S. RIDOWAY, Amer. bark, 833, H. S. Townsend, 12th Sept .- Bangkok 25th August, General. Chinese. THREE BROTHERS, British bark, 366, Kahlcke, 1st Sept., Quinhon s5th August, General.

-Ee Tye Hong. WILIGHT, American ship, 1,265, W. C. Warland, 8th June, - Newcastle, N.S.W., 14th April, Coal.—Adamson, Bell & Co.

HONGKONG -SAILING VESSELS.

Continued. WALLS CASTLE, British bark, 626, Kennett, 23rd October, -- Guinayangan 28th Sept., Wood. --Lane, Crawford & Co. WANDERING MINSTREL, British bark, 362, Sieve-

wright, 4th November,-Amoy 3rd Nov. Bricks.-Captain. WILDWOOD, American bark, 1,099, Chas. P. Sawyer, 23rd Sept.,—Nagasaki 14th Sept., Coal.—M. B. M. S. S. Co. WM. MANSON, British bark, 366, H. Kindred, 1st October,-Newchwang 18th September,

Beans.—Russell & Co. ZOUAVE, American ship, 1,202, Robert C. Loper, 3rd August,-Cardiff 4th April, Coals.-P & O. S. N. Co.

CANTON.

Pooksang, British steamer, 990, Hogg, 4th November,—Shanghai 1st Nov., General.— Jardine, Matheson & Co. NINGPO, British steamer, 761, Cass, 3rd Nov.,-Shanghai 31st October, General.-Siems.

WHAMPOA.

M'ANHEM, Swedish 3-m. sch., 463, Jansson, 28th October,—Newchwang 16th October, Beans, -Siemssen & Co.

RIVER STEAMERS.

Hankow, British steamer, 2,235, Ogston.-Butterfield & Swire. Ho-nam, British steamer, 1,377—Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co.—Laid up.

Foochow 30th Oct., Amoy 31st, and Swatow Kiang-ping, Chinese steamer, 360, Holmes .-Kiu-kiang, British steamer, 617, T. Benning .-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Kiung-chow, British steamer, 159, Goggin,-

Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. Powan, British steamer, 1,890, G. B. Lefavor.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. White Cloud, British steamer, 527, A. Benning. -Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat

Yot-sai, British steamer, 180, Hoyland.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co.

· AMOY.

In Port on 30th October, 1883. Brunette, British bark, 375 (Turnbull)-H. A Petersen & Co.

Chateaubriand, British bark, 409 (Edwards)—H A. Petersen & Co. Helene, German bark, 250-Boyd & Co. Hilda Maria, German bark, 275 (E. Tennis)-Pasedag & Co. Lucky, Siamese bark, 425 (Siqueira)-Dauver

Petersen & Co. FOOCHOW.

Printemps, French bark, 357, (Gaillard)-H. A,

In Port on 20th October, 1883. Kristina Nilsson, American brig, 297 (Thomson) -Russell & Co.

SHANGHAI.

In Port on 26th October, 1883. Anglo-Indian, British bark, 444 (Henningson). A. E. Sleeper, American bark, 463 (Sleeper)-Russell & Co. Batavia, British bark, 366 (Oberg)-Nils Moller. Chingtah, Chinese bark, 472 (Taylor)-C. M.

Chloris, German bark, 334 (Matzun)-Arnhold, Earl of Elgin, British bark, 979 (Morrison) - S. C. Farnham & Co. Edward May, American bark, 890 (Johnson)-

W. Hewett & Co. George, British bark, 895 (Grant)-Adamson, Hugo & Otto, Norwegian bark, 370 (Koedt)-Lewis Hopkins. John D. Brewer, American bark, 926 (Josselyn) Leander, British ship, 148 (Hamilton)-J. W.

YOKOHAMA. In Port on 31st October, 1883

Alma, American schooner, 52 (Tibbey)-J. D. Black Diamond, German bark, 670 (Boyd)-P. Evangeline, British bark, 345 (Bell)-H. Mac-E. von Beaulieu, German bark, 336 (Getting)-Grosser & Co. Guam, British schooner, 294 (Marns)-Master. Haddon Hall, British ship, 1,416 (Leighton)-

C. Illies & Co. Hedvig, British bark, 375 (Norquay)-Nils Sagitta, Brttish bark, 579 (Taylor)-Frazar Sattara, British bark, 940 (Jenkins)—Max Raspe

> BANGKOK. In Port on 20th October, 1883.

Sooloo, British bark, 350 (Baike)-M. B. S.

Hevener, 15th Oct.,-Newcastle, N.S.W., Aline, Siamese schooner, 347 (Schmiegelow)-Wang Lec. Ann' Armytage, British bark, 417 (Gracey)-Borneo Co., Limited. Annie, German schooner, 340 (Moller)-A. M. Aurora, British bark, 294 (Milne)-Ban Hong Billy Simpson, British bark, 432 (Brown)-Loo

Bua Pan, Siamese ship, 574-Poh Hee. Caroline, German schooner, 273 (Michelsen)-E. Bonneville. C. Kamrye, Siamese bark, 480 (Michaelsen)-

November,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 6th Sept., Falcon, Siamese bark, 368 (Evans)-Kwong G. Brenatti, Italian brig, 542 (Bisso)-Order.

Heng Seng, Siamese bark, 516 (Reynolds)-Hero, Siamese brig, 178 (Delakoches)-Chinese. K. H. Cheong, Siamese schooner, 175 (Likeng) Chesua Pow. Kim Chye Seng, Siamese schooner, 238-Chesua

Koon Lee, Siamese schooner, 242 (Hansen)-Phya Nakeni Mercury, Siamese brig, 102 (Hennings)-Chi-Queen of England, Siamese ship, 542 (Otten)-Poh Chin Soo. Rajah, British schooner, 63 (Chinese)-A. Abdul

Rapid, Slameso bark, 429 (Steinbring)-Wang San Francisco, German schooner, 251 (Oltmann) -R. Gette Starlight, Slamose bark, 570 (Moller)-Poh Tek.

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON.

Albatross, screw sloop, 4 guns, Commander Chas. Hicks, Yokohama.

Audacious, double-screw iron frigate, Captain R. E. Tracey, Yokohama. Champion, corvette, 14 guns, Captain A. T. Pow--lett, Sunda Straits.

Cleopatra, corvette, 14 guns, Captain H. N. Hip-Cockchafer, gunboat, 4 guns, Commander R. L. Groome, Hongkong. Curacoa, corvette, 14 guns, Captain Anstruther,

Daring, composite sloop, 4 guns, Commander F.
J. J. Eliott, Hongkong. Esk, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, In reserve,

Espoir, gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Gamble, Flying-Fish, sloop, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander Hoskyn, Hongkong. Fly, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Commander J. Hope, Singapore. Foxhound, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander

Kestrel, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Commander E. Hotham, Shanghai. Linnet, British gunboat, 5 guns, Commander J G. Jones, Canton.

Magpie, surveying vessel, 4 guns, Licut-Com. Hon. F. Vereker, Sunda Straits. Midge, double-screw gun-vessel, E. Hotham, in reserve, Hongkong. Pegasus, sloop, 6 guns, Commander Bickford, Sapphire, corvette, 9 guns, Commander John R

T. Fullerton, Cheloo. Swift, double-screw gun-vessel, 5 guns, Commander W. Collins, Pakhoi. Tweed, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, in reserv Victor Emmanuel, receiving ship, 20 guns, Commodere Cuming, Hongkong.

igilant, paddle despatch-vessel, 2 guns, Commander Maxwell, Yokohama. Wivern, turret-ship, 4 guns, in reserve, Hong-Zephyr, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieutenant-Commander Pollard, Hongkong. ..

FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA STATION.

Abreck, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Captain Schanz, Chefoo. Cher, French gunboat, Commander Lafon, Hongkong. Duke of Edinburgh, Russian ironclad, Captain -de Giers,-Hongkong.-

Enterprise, American corvette, Commander A. S. Baker, en route to Shanghai. Ermak, Russian transport, Captain Kolichau, Essex, American gun-vessel, 6 guns, Captain McCormack, Nagasaki. Gornostai, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander

Stark, Vladivostock.

Hamelin, French cruiser, Commander H. Rous-Iltis, German gunboat, 8 guns, Commander . Klausa, Canton. Juniata, American corvette, Commander P. F. will contain a complete Harrington, Canton. Kersaint, French corvette, Commander Beaumont, Hengkong.

Leipzig, German corvette, 16 guns, Captain Her-Legaspi, Spanish transport, Commander Valenti, Lutin, French gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Monocacy, American gunboat, 6 guns, Comman- of the Principal Government Officials, the Landder C. S. Cotton, Korea.

Morge, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Tatarinoff, Nagasaki. Nacsdnik, Russian corvette, Captain Kala--gerass, Yokohama. Nerpa, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Valrondt, Vladivostock. Opritchnik, Russian cruiser, Commander B. Ivas- A Mass of interesting information on various hentzoff, en route Vladivostock. Palos, American gunboat, 6 guns, Lieutenant,

Commander Green, Taiwan. Pensacola, American frigate, Captain H. Esben, Richmond, American frigate, 14 guns, Captain Skerrett, Yokohama. Skobeleff, Russian corvette, Captain Blanodareff,

Sobol, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Boyle, Nagataki. Stein, German man-of-war, Commander Nostitz, Stosch, German corvette, 19 guns, Captain Buchholtz, Hongkong. Tamega, Portuguese gunboat, Commander da Costa Cabral, Macao. Tongous, Russian gunboat, Commander Heck, Viadivostock. Tourville, French frigate, 27 guns, Captain Bose Yokohams.

Triomphante, French, corvette, 17 guns, Captain Baux, Shanghai, Victorieuse, French frigate, 14 guns, Captain de la Batie,-Hongkong. Villars, French corvette, 15 guns, Captain M

Volta, French corvette, Captain Fournier. Vostock, Russian gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Molchonsky, Vladivostock.

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An-lan, Viceroy's gunboat, 7 guns, Lin Kuo Ch'ang, Canton Chee-hing, Revenue cruiser, 2 guns, Chinese Captain, Canton. Chen-to, Viceroy's gumboat, 7 guns, J. Stewart, Chén-jui, Revenue cruiser, 3 guns, Chinese, Ching-on, Revenue cruiser, 2 guns, Chung Wing Fai. Canton. Ching-tsing, Viceroy's gunboat, 4 guns, F. Bes-Chop-chung, Revenue cruiser, Li Tack Ming, Chop-sai, Viceroy's gunboat, Chang, on a cruise, Hai-ch'ang-ching, Revenue cruiser, 3 guns, Jui Chang, Canton. Hoi-tung-hung, Viceroy's gunboat, Leung Yiu Ting, Canton.

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Tching-po, Viceroy's gunboat, 3 guns, Ching. Bogue Forts. Tchun-tung, Revenue cruiser, 2 guns, Chun Ti Hu, West Coast Ting-po, Viceroy's gunboat, 6 guns, Chinese Captain, Canton, Yl-hu, Viceroy's gunbost, 2 guns, Chinese,

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score-sheet showing 4 wickets down for 21 runs. | a.m., and large parties of the men were away, Wodehouse (Repton) and Porter (Cheltenham) some having gone to their wood-cutting, some to stayed together until the score was raised to 35, and the river to wash, others to fetch water; some then Hendry, who was trundling in rare form, were escorting home the parties of girls who had demolished the Reptonian's stumps with a regular come bringing food to the Royal kraal; while trimmer. At this stage of the game Hendry had those who remained were not kept in any parhowled eight overs, three maidens, taking four | ticular order, the impi having been broken up, wickets at a cost of 9 runs. When Gordon while the kraal was full of women too, who had (Harrow) joined Porter the stand of the innings | come both from the King's territory and the was made, the old Harrovian hitting out in his Reserve, and were preparing the thatch for the customary free style. Bowling changes had huts. The alarm was given by one of our own to be made, Plumbe and Hynes relieving Hendry people, and just then Makahleleka, the Swazi and Bunbury. At 76 Gordon after putting together 17, including one four and three threes,
was caught at point off the first ball bowled by

Prince, rode up, for the enemy had passed by the
kraal where he was lodging, and he had hastened to warn the King. Our men rushed out Hynes, a regular fluke, as the ball after pitching to meet the enemy-not as an impi in fighthalf way between the wickets rose, and the bats- ing array, but just as working people hurryman, in attempting to play it, scooped it right ing from their work, and all abroad. There into Bunbury's hands. Six for 76. Without any was no time even to marshal those who were there. So the enemy, with their horses, soon highest score on his side, was grandly taken in the long field by Hendry off Plumbe. Wise (Cambridge) and H. F. Whyte (Marlborough) did not have a lengthy partnership, the first named being caught by Cottell off. Hynes after scoring three, and Vaughan (Durham) had no sooner joined Whyte than Plumbe managed to get one past the Hongkong veteran's bat; and 9 wickets were gone and only 93 runs scored. Brackenbury (Marlborough) failed to score, and Fogarty (Dublin) succumbed to Hynes after crediting himself with a couple, leaving Vaughan to carry out his bat for a carefully compiled 9. The total score, including 9 extras, amounted to 99. Hynes had 4 wickets for 14 runs, Hendry 4 for 18, addition to the score, Porter whose 25 was the there. So the enemy, with their horses, soon

3. Fogarty was caught in the slips by Hynes off place, but he was persuaded, and mounted a Plumbe, and with the addition of 5 runs horse, and rode as far as the little stream D'Aeth, Jarrett and Porter were all dis- the Intukwini (some two miles from the kraal). fortunate, Bunbury bowling him for "a duck." We thought that it was Ziwedu," and these four Hawkins assisted Wodehouse to mise the total to 91, at which figure the latter failed to stop one - good many others approached a little and sat down from Hendry, after scoring 14 in which were two fours and a two. Two overs later Hawkins gave Hare an easy chance off Bunbury, and the innings closed for 97. "The Remainder" were the English, and before, too, at Ndondakusuka thus victorious by an innings and 78 runs. Plumbe was most successful with the ball, his ; wickets costing only 13 runs. Hendry had 3 for 24. Bunbury 2 for 10 and Hynes one for 19. Full scores are appended

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Lieut, Jarrett, "Buffa" b Hends / 6 c Busbury, b Plumbe Mr. V. A. C. Hawkins, b Hendry 7 c Hare, b Bunbury ... Lt. Lloyd, "Buffa" I b w b c Hare, b Bunbury ... Hend: 7
Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, b Hendry 7
Lieut. D'Acth, "Buffs" c Gamble, e Farquhar, h Plumbe Lieut. Porter, "Buffs" c Hendry Cape. Cordon, "Buffs" c Bunr. A. G. Wise, c. Cottell, b H. F. White, b Plumbe..... '9 lev. C. M. Vaughan, not out ... 9 Sapt. Brackenbury, a Cochrane, Mr. 🚗 W. Fogarty, b Hynes .... 🤏 🖂 Hynes, b Plumbe ....

Dr. Cottell, not out manner mentione mention

CETYWAYO'S ESCAPE NARRATEL BY HIMSELF.

The report of what actually happened in the attack on Cetywayo's town, Ulundi, lately reached England from the Zulu King's friends. In Sir Henry Bulwer's setttlement of Zululand, Hamu's district was included in the country over which Cetywayo was appointed ruler. Bu Hamu has all along shown a disaffected and restless spirit. He has refused to recognise Cetywayo's authority, and has killed and plundered many of the loyal Zulus living in Northern Zu-Juland. Shortly before the destruction of Ulundi Cetywayo discovered that Usibepu had sent an impi to Hamu's assistance, and that in fact the two were acting as confederates or allies. The King therefore took steps to send a force to defend his loyal people who were being attacked but it appears that at the urgent solicitation of Mr. Fynn, the British Resident, he ultimately decided to disband this force and to remain quiet His troops returned to their ordinary avocations, and at the moment of Usibepu's attack were wholly unprepared to meet the invaders. Kukula, who reached Bishopstowe in the evening of August 6, states :- "I am sent by Shingana Mahadan, Qetuka, Sigananda, and Melelesi, by the order of Cetywayo, to say that he is alive, and that he asks that this matter may be inquired into, since this destruction has come upor him in his own home, in consequence of his sitting still, according to his promise. I have not seen the King myself. He was in the bush country, near Ulundi, but did not mean to stay there. He has two assegai wounds in the thigh but neither of them serious, and he sent Baleni, an innecku, to tell the chiefs to send down this message, and also to let Mnyamana know that he the King, is alive. Nomahobodiya reached Bishopstowe on August 4th. He was one of those who had brought down the King's letter of July 16th. and had hurried back to Zululand to learn the truth, on the first report of the surprise at Ulundi. He and Kukula state as follows :- No impi had gone out from Ulundi; there were portions of nine regiments there, but two of them only, in name, as their companies were not filled up.
The King had intended to send three or four regiments to Mnyamana's assistance on hearing that Usibepu's party had sent an implinto the King's territory to support Hamu in his rebellion. But when these regiments had been prepared and were ready to start they were stopped by Mr. Fynn, who came to the King and said: You are forbidden by the conditions to send out any impi. Have nothing to do with Mnyamana. Do you just remain quietly at home, and let the enemy come and attack you here in your own place, that it may be plain that you are not responsible for the fighting. So the King ave way, which greatly disheartened the mention the impi was broken up—that is, the men were not kept in fighting array, but were set to work instead, in cutting wood for the building of the kraal, &c. So it came to pass that Usibepu's impi was first seen spreading atself out to surround the kraal-one portion

about a mile off, another a very little farther in

only having contributed three to the total, and the another direction. The sun was just up, 7.15

had 4 wickets for 14 runs, Hendry 4 for 18,
Plumbe 2 for 18, and Bunbury one for 30.
Being in a minority of 175, a follow on was requisite, Vaughan and Fogarty going first to the wickets, Hynes and Plumbe continuing the bowling for the opposition. With the score at refused to fly, preferring to die in his own

posed of, the first and last named being Here the horse came down on its knees on acsplendidly caught by Van Buren fielding count of the stones, and the King went on foot. substitute for Rice. Lloyd was easily taken by The impi had already killed many, both men Farquhar at mid off from Plumbe's bowling at | and women, who had been with him. There 9, and Vaughan was "leg before" to the same | were bushes near the stream, but as he reached trundler at 16. Gordon and Whyte then in- them and was partially hidden by them, four creased the total to 60, when the last named had assegais were thrown, two of which struck the to retire, caught by Farquhar off Hendry for a ground; the other two wounded him slightly in useful 28, which included one 6, one 5 and three | the thigh. He then turned and asked them, 3's. Wodehouse joined Gordon, and runs again "What, do you, my own people, stab me with, came very rapidly, until Hendry broke down the assegais?" The young men who had thrown the Buff's defence, and 8 wickets were down for 82 asseguis asked one another, "Who is it?" Haliruns. Gordon had made 34, including eight jana, one of the indunas, said, "It is the King! 3's, by correct cricket. Wise was again un- Do you not hear that it is the King?" Said they

turned and fled. Halijana and Msikiza and a [the attitude of respect], and spoke to the King, saying, "Yes, Sir [this is your own doing]. Why [in the Zulu Civil war of 1866]? why on your return from England did you not at once summon up the Mandhlakazi to you instead of trusting to the izigqoza [the opposite party in the old civil war, but here used generally for the southern in opposition to the northern tribes [?" All this would then never have happened." The By Order-of-the-General-Committee,-

King made no reply, and after a while they all went quietly away. Then he said, "Come children, let us be going ; " and he and the two girls, the only ones with him who were left alive, went their way also, unmotested. These words were told to Baleni, the induna of Nomcoba, by the King himself.

AMOY RACES.

PROGRAMME: MONDAY AND TUESDAY, 7th and 8th January,

FIRST DAY, 7TH JANUARY, GRIFFIN PLATE, a Sweepstakes of \$15 each, with \$100 added; second pony to receive 25 per cent. of the entries; for all China Ponies that have never run previous to this meeting;

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\$5. Three quarters of a mile. FOOCHOW CUP, (Presented); value \$---; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; entrance

St. One mile and three quarters. ADIOY STAKES, of \$10 each; a forced entry for all Ponies entered at this meeting; first Pony 70 per cent., Second Pony 20 per cent. and Third Pony 10 per cent. of the stakes; weights

as per scale. One mile: RACING STAKES, of \$5 each, with \$50 added; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; winner of Chanszee Cup 7hs. extra. Half a

HAIKWAN Cup, (Presented); value \$--; for all China Ponies first raced as Griffins at Amoy; weights as per scale; previous winners at this meeting 70s, extra; entrance \$5. One mile and a quarter.

FORMOSA CUP, (Presented); value &---; for all China Ponies, weights as per scale; winners of Chaaszee Cup and Racing Stakes, 7hs. extra; if of both lobs, extra; entrance 85. Three quarters of a mile.

LEDGER CUP, (Presented); value \$---; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; winner of Foochow Cup 7bs. extra; entrance \$5. One mile and a half.

SECOND DAY, 8TH JANUARY.

TE. MAA-CHIN CUP, (Presented); value 3-- for all China Ponics that have never run previous to this meeting; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. Half a mile.

CHALLENGE CUP, value \$250; for all Amoy owned Ponies; to be won two consecutive years by a Pony or Ponies the bond fide property of the same owner or owners; weights as per scale; entrance \$10. One mile.

VISITORS' CUP, (Presented); value &---; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; winners at this meeting of a race of 11 miles or over 7 hs. extra; if of two or more such races rops. extraj entrance \$5. Two miles,

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COAST CUP, (Presented); value &--; for all China Ponies; second pony to receive half the entries; weights as per scale; winners of a race of I mile or 12 miles at this meeting 70s. extra; of two such races tobs, extra; entrance \$5. One mile.

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CONSOLATION CUP, value \$100; for all bond fide beaten Ponies that have run and not won a race at this meeting; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. Half a mile.

CHAMPION STAKES, a forced entry of \$10 each for all winners at this meeting; winners of two races \$15 extra, of more than two \$30 extra; optional entry for non-winners \$51 fifteen the cent of value of the Stakes to the Fund; weights as per scale. One mile and a quarter. MAFOOS RACE, for all Ponies entered at this meeting; catch weights; to be ridden by Chinese. Once round and a distance.

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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1883.

The excited controversy which has recently in other parts of the United States, in consequence of the different judicial decisions lately given as to the scope of the Chinese Exclusion Act passed by Congress a year ago, has doubtless been observed with attention by our local merchants and shippers interested in the traffic between Hongkong and California. And the further development of this technical difficulty in excluding the Chinese from the United States, a difficulty as unexpected as it was unforeseen, Duily Navs, in dealing with the matter from a legal-point-of-view, after remarking that the much enduring individual picturesquely described by Mr. Dan Kearney as the 'leprous-heathen," is causing the United States Law Courts a great deal of annoyance, very impartially reviews the salient features of the judicial decisions which

have brought about the present deadlock.

Our contemporary refers to the late decision in the Circuit Court at San Francisco, which ruled that Chinese born at Hongkong claiming to be British subjects have no-right\_to-enter\_the\_United\_States\_in defiance of the Chinese Exclusion Act passed by Congress, and points out that this; on the face of it, seems to be a flat from Belgium. The wife of a gateman on the contradiction of the decision given other day by Judge NELSON, of the Circuit Court at Boston, in the celebrated case of An Song, but admits that it is just possible that there may be an explanation forthcoming of the seemings discrepancy. Sono, it will be remembered, was a ship's carpenter, who ran away from service and settled in Boston, When the authorities tried to remove him under the provisions of the Chinese Exclusion Act, his counsel argued that as he was born in Hongkong after it was ceded to England, he was not "a Chinese labourer" in terms of the Act, because he was not, and never had been, a subject of the Emperor of China. This argument convinced the Court, and as the bulk of the immigrants from China are British subjects, or would claim to be such, it was obvious that the traditional coach-and-six had been driven through the Exclusion Act. Californians were of course indignant, and it is to be hoped that the judgment of the Circuit Court of San Francisco has not been in-

There is not the least doubt that Judge NELSON took the only possible, view of the one point at issue which a lawyer could take. That point is this:—Is there anything in the Act of 1882 to show that was meant to apply to Chinamen not subjects of the Chinese Emperor? To us it seems impossible to say that there is. The Act cites as its raison d'être the fifth and sixth clauses of the once famous Burlinghame Treaty, by which China and the United States agreed to let each other's subjects come and go in each other's territory on terms of reciprocity. It cites the "supplementary treaty with China of 17th November, 1880, by which it was agreed that this absolute right of her subjects to reside in the United States might be modified, and it was under this stipulation Congress gained power to pass the prohibitory measures which were contemplated in this treaty, and which it passed last year. But all through, it is plain that the purpose of the Exclusion Act is to apply these measures only to the persons to whom the two treaties refer—that is, to subjects of the Emperor of China. Hence, as Judge Netson, of Massachusetts, said in his judgment, "the term Chinese labourers, as used in the Act, must have the same deserves.

the Government of China to whom the therefore absurd to pretend that the Act of 1882 can apply to Chinamen who are subjects of the Queen of England, and yet this is what the Circuit Court of San Francisco had ruled. It may, however, be that what the Californian Court means to lay down is that Chinamen must not be manufactured into British subjects, for the purpose of getting privilege of residence in San Franciscothat a Chinaman born in Hong Kong before the place was ceded to the English or not born there at all, but naturalised as a British subject, is in a different position from AH Song as regard statusthat he is, in fact, still within the scope of the Exclusion Act of 1882. That would raise one or two nice points in international law, and it is not a contention easy. to substantiate. But unlike the reported ruling of Judge FIELD of San Francisco,

#### TELEGRAMS.

it is not utterly untenable.

LONDON, November 5th MINISTERIAL MOVEMENTS IN FRANCE. The French Minister of Foreign Affairs has lest Paris, and has been replaced by the President of the Council of Ministers.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

been raging along the Pacific Coast, and As will be noted from the programme published in another column, the Amoy Race Meeting has been fixed for the 7th and 8th of January

> THE P. and O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Nepaul, with the next English mail, left Singapore for this post on the 3rd instant, and may be expected to arrive here on the 9th.

WILLIAM AUSTIN, 30, of England, a marine on board the Victor Emanuel, wearing two good Supreme Court this morning by Mr. Wodehouse, will be closely watched. The London on suspicion of having set fire to some bedding. The Sydney Bulletin says that Lillian Russell, in a room on the 2nd floor of licensed brothel No. 35, Stanley Street, on the night of the 2nd make his defence at the Police Court, but on the advice of his friends he reserved it.

> THE following charters have been effected in Amoy during the past fortnight :- Guiding Star, 8,000 peculs Newchang and Amoy, 25 lay days, 18 cents per pecul; Annie, 423 tons register, to Samarang and Sourabya, 25 lay days, \$1,500, Hermine, 7,000 peculs, hence to Bankok, 7 lay days,\$325; Chateaubriand, 10,000 peculs, Singapore to Shanghai, \$3,900; Chateaubriand, 10,000 peculs, hence to Singapore, to lay days, \$450; Brunette, 10,00 peculs, hence to Singapore, 10 lay days, \$500.

A TOUCHING story of a mother's devotion comes line between Sottegem and Alost was attending to her husband's duty when her little boy strayed in front of a fast train. Without a moment's hesitation the mother sprang across the rails, and, seizing her child, tossed it into the bank the very second before she was caught by the locomotive and killed. It is well to know that the brave woman did not die in vain; the child escaped with a few bruises.

THREE seamen of the American ship Wildwood, named Olson, Murphy, and Stephen, were sentenced by Captain Thomsett this morning to three months' hard labour each, at the order of the Captain, for descriing from their ship, They each positively refused to return to duty. This is the second time these men have deserted here. Upon the last occasion they were sent on board in charge of the police, and then complained of ill treatment at the hands of the 1st and 2nd mates, and also in respect to their food. There would seem to be something rotten in the state of Denmark.

FROM what we hear, the Hongkong Artillery Volunteers appear to be doing a good deal of work in a quiet way. We learn that on Saturday afternoon next, the squad will parade at Kowloon and go through various gun drill movements fluenced by their outcry against Judge with mountain pieces. After the parade the Volunteers will be regaled with a spread in Mr. Chater's bungalow, provided by the officers of the corps. We also hear that another battery will soon be formed, and are very pleased that such is the case. The Volunteer movement, which seems to have hung fire for some time past, would now appear to be receiving that attention which it justly deserves from the young men of the colony.

WE are sorry to hear that the Temperance Hall is in a bad way so far as funds are concerned. With a view to improve the undesirable existing to Folkestone. Mr. Drevar, who advocates the state of affairs, it has been resolved to give raft as a means of saving life at sea in case of an monthly concerts, commencing on the 15th inst., emergency, stood in the barrel, took no proviwhen a small charge for admission will be made, sions of any kind, and, with the exception of a toenablethis eminently deserving institution to single oar, cast himself adrift to the mercy keep pace with the times. The concerts will be of wind and tide. There was, a strong. under the management of Mr. James Francis, north-easterly wind during the night, and who has previously conducted these entertains as no tidings could be had of him, the advenments with much tact and ability. As many of ture, which was regarded as a foolbardly one, our talented amateurs have lent their aid in was thought to have cost Mr. Drevar his life. times past to keep the Temperance Hall going, About midday on the 14th, however, the steamnow that there is more urgent need of help. for a boat, which put off and brought back the We are glad to learn that several talented missing man and his raft. It seems that the their help, and that some members of the the Varne Lightship, and except that he was wet Choral Society have expressed their willingness, about the lower part of the body and somewhat to assist. Such an undertaking as this is worthy | exhausted Mr. Drevar was none the worse for of all support, and as the Temperance Hall his cruise, and his raft was in the same condition

signification as when used in the treaty. Just as we were going to press the Russian and must be held to mean the subjects of frigate Duke of Edinburgh steamed out of the harbor through the Ly-ce-moon Pass.

provisions of the treaty relate." It is There are reported to be two policemen in the New York force who decline proffered cigars. Barnum is on his way to the Empire city as fast as steam will take him, and has offered Jumbo

> KANKAKEE has a justice who beats them all in the way of doing up a job of matrimonial splicing with neatness and despatch. This is his formula :- "Have 'er?" "Yes." Have 'im?" "Yes." "Married, 2 dols."

Ar Conway, in Wales, there is a monumen erected in the church to the memory of a dead worthy, Alderman Hoopes. His epitaph consists of the following sentence: "He was the father of twenty-seven children, and was the forty-first child of his father,"

WE read that at Balmoral workmen were busily engaged preparing a foundation for the statue of the late John Brown, which was to be erected by command of the Queen. It was expected that the work-would be ready-early in October. The site is south of Balmoral, and visible from the windows of the castle,

ONCE again the United States is to the fore. celebrated embryologist has solved the problem of cultivating oysters artificially by means of impregnated eggs. In this way he has in fortysix days grown many millions of oysters threequarters of an inch in diameter. By his system one oyster can be induced to produce ten million eggs in a year. Hoorah!

THE wife of the ex-King of Portugal, and, therefore, the stepmother of the present King, was Miss Elise Hensler, once the leading singer in King's Chapel. Boston. She was appointed soon after her appearance in grand opera at Lisbon, and was morganatically united to the King upon the death of the Queen.

"So the engagement is broken off?" queried the first young lady as they sat down in the carriage. "Yes." "And you have sent back all his letters?" "Every one." "And the locket?" "Yes." "And the diamond ring?" "Yes." "I wouldn't have done it. I'd have kept the conduct badges, was committed for trial at the ring anyhow." "Well, I did intend to; but the jeweller said the stones were only glass." -

known in America as the "Queen of the Dudes, and who is now causing a good deal of sensation instant, It appears the prisoner was anxious to in London by her beauty, has never been distinguished by any particular moral lustre of character; in fact, it is notorious that she is quite-as-frail as-she-is-fair, and that's saying a good deal. Lovely Lillian's little laches, however, need scarcely be wondered at when her mother's opinions are known. This unconventional mama "believes strongly in propagation on purely scientific principles, and strongly condemns marriage." She thinks that girls should not be subordinate to husbands, but should be self-reliant and independent, entering into social partnerships when they desire and terminating them for the same easy reasons. As, out of five daughters three of them, who are married, are all separated from their husbands; while, on the other hand, Lillian, without marrying at all, has been separ ated twice as often as the other three put together; it would seem that as far as self-reliance goes, Lillian's mother's daughters have admirably fulfilled their mama's expectations...

THE Sydney Bulletin compliments the charming Beaudet as follows:- "And now a paragraph or two about the Gaiety. We went to see "Blow for Blow " on Saturday night. It was funny to an extent. Johnny Hall was funny, Jessie Grey was funny, and little Louise funnier than all. Miss Beaudet were a man, instead of being the fairy that she is, we would humbly suggest to her that there is such a thing as being too tragic. True passion is neither, pyrotechnic nor pompous. Some actors and actresses are like some singers—they think to make up by volume of voice for what they lack in tone Rigidity of utterance might become a ghost from the other world, but it does not become goes to such a tragic pitch that she says the most ordinary things in a hollow, funereal way which at first makes one imagine she is reciting the service for the dead. " John Der-rumond! "Milder-red Kertradock!" Why this? We are sadly afraid Miss Beaudet has fallen into an evil style. But she is amusing. When she towers to her full height in a spasm of passion, she looks like an excited canary. We are sorry to have to say this"-and then the critic lapses into poetry, which, being slightly inferior to Byron at his best, scarcely merits reproduction.

CAPTAIN DREVAR, who has been staying at Dover with the expressed intention, of crossing the Channel in a boat exhibited by him at the Fisheries Exhibition, launched on Sept. 13, from near the Admiralty Pier, a raft, constructed of an eighteen-gallon cask and a rough wooden framework, with the intention of drifting with the tide it is to be hoped they will readily come forward ship Blythville put into the bay and signalled ladies and gentlemen have already promised steamer fell in with him in mid-channel near concerts have hitherto been of a high class, and as when he left Dover the previous night. He most excellently conducted, we hope the present states that he drifted past Folkestone, and when compaign will meet with all the success it the tide set in to the eastward he was carried farther to sea.

Some land in the city of London was lately sold at the rate of \$3,300,000 an acre.

COLONEL Montgomery, commanding the expedition-to-Zululand, has suspumbed to the effects of a snake bite. While hunting near the Lower Tugela on horseback he was bitten above the boot. Colonel Hawthorne has assumed the command pending the arrival of Colonel Curtis, of the Inniskillings.

CARDINAL Manning is shortly expected at the Vatican. It is understood that his Eminence, besides treating upon certain personal questions, will discuss with the Vatican the establishment of a Catholic university in London. He will bring to the Pope a considerable amount in

IT is believed that at the next Consistory, to be held in March 1884; the Pope will appoint three new cardinals namely, Mgr. Golgenbauer, Archbishop of Vienna; Mgr. Bauer, Bishop of. Salzburg; and Mgr. Masella, Apostolic Nuncio at Lisbon. It is also probable that Mgr. San Felice, Archbishop of Naples, who made such noble exertions on behalf of the sufferers by the Ischian calamity, will receive a cardinal's hat startling effect throughout Europe. - I am as-

THE tragedy of the Ring Theatre appears to be resulting in something practical, and the Builder describes the precautions against fire now imposed, either wholly or in part, by law, upon all the Vienna theatres. The chief dependence is | ing France, Russia, Denmark, and the Scanplaced upon the fire curtain. Once every even ing at least this curtain must be lowered to its full extent in the presence of the audience, This is done between the acts, the intention being to render it absolutely certain that the curtain is in working order, and that there may be no flaw in the mechanism to be discovered at the wrong time. This nightly rehearsal of Court Singer to the King and Queen of Portugal | the fire curtain is said to render people cool when they see it descend, and to prevent their taking fright at it as a sign of danger. For this reason it is let down at unexpected moments, and sometimes more than once in the course of the evening. Another precaution now universally employed is to burn candles as well as gas in all the passages, galleries, and even in the body of the theatre itself, so that if the gas should be extinguished, or have to be cut off suddenly, the people would still be able to find their way out by candle light. The supplies of water on the roof are also placed under official control.

> THE-semi-official organ of the Russian Foreign office, the Nord, contains some interesting comments on Mr. Gladstone's interview with the -Grave - There are, it says, "some people who - spirituous and fermented liquors during the year - eventually retiring with 75 and go respectively would prove that no importance is to be attached to the interviews of Fredensborg and the decks of the Pembroke Castle."-It, however, contends that even if Mr. Gladstone's voyage was undertaken without any political design, the visit of D. Ruttonjee. the Emperor of Russia to a statesman who plays so considerable a role in the Government of England cannot be a matter of indifference. The Nord characterises as "perfectly ridiculous" the reports that have been set affoat about the conclusion of alliances adds: "England is no less desirous than Russia for the maintenance of peace, whose first condition is the maintenance of the status one in the Balkan Peninsula. Any understand ing between these two Powers would have no other meaning than the strengthening of quillity in the Balkan Peninsula by the peaceable and normal development of the populations which inhabit it." The Nord asserts that the interest of both England and Russia being the preservation of peace, and the Austro-German alliance having the same aim, the Austrian and German press should, instead of complaining, congratulate itself on there being two such powerful auxiliaries to ensure the success of the pacific policy of two empires.

THE pupils at the Italian Convent, Caine Road, gave an operatic representation in the small theatre attached to the establishment yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large and fashionable audience, which included His Excellency the Governor, who was accompanied by the Misses Bowen, the Hon. W. H. Marsh and Mrs. Marsh, Bishop Raimondi, Monsieur de Dejardin, consul for France, and Madame de Debeing of flesh and blood in this. Miss Beaudet jardin, Mr. A. G. Romano, consul for Brazil, Mr. J. Loureiro, consul-general for Portugal, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fleming, Mr. Jno. J. Francis and a host of other notables. The piece selected. was of course a sacred one, and detailed the scenes leading up to the martyrdom of St. Dorothea. This young Christian Heroine, we are told, was born of a rich and noble family in Casarea, and after being prived of her parents at an early agoeducated by a pious matron named Drusilla. Tradition says that Dorothea suffered martyrdom for her faith in the early part of the fourth century of the Romish Church, during the tenth persecution ordered by the cruel Diocletian, Emperor of Pagan Rome. The young girls who essayed the leading parts in the representation had evidently bestowed careful study on the tasks allotted them, and worked very hard indeed to do justice to themselves and credit to their musical instructfess. Candour compels us to own that the vocal efforts of the youthful performers were not particularly meritorious, still it may be conceded that under all the circumstances they got through a difficult undertaking fairly well. As evidence of the care bestowed in getting up the Lucas handed him some papers, of what nature opera, it may be stated that throughout the whole three acts not a single hitch occurred, nor was the prompter's voice heard once. The dresses and stage effects were exceedingly pretty if not altogether appropriate-Dorothea and the business, a licence might be granted. It was Roman Pro-Consul, Apricio, in white kid gloves were hardly in the fashion which prevailed during the reign of Diocletian-and the children meanwhile in communication with Chief Inin the choruses did capitally, the final scene and the chorus of angels forming a very effective tableau. We believe that it is the intention of the Lady Superior of the Italian Convent to sanction another performance of "St. Dorothea"

for the especial gratification of the rising genera-

tion. This kindly meant arrangement should

afford the youngsters an opportunity of passing

a most enjoyable afternoon.

A COOLIE named Wong Afuk, with four previous convictions recorded against him, was committed for trial at the Supreme Court by Captain Thomsett, this morning, for being concerned with three others, who are not in custody, inviattempting to rob a farmer of 100 tacls of silver on the 29th ultimo.

WHILE the Parisians are discussing the pos-

sibilities of a war with China (says the Paris correspondent of the Standard), they are overlooking a very serious and much greater danger nearer home. 'The interviews between the German and Austrian Emperors, between Prince Bismarck, Count Kalnoky, and General Manteuffel, and between Prince Hohenlohe and the King of Italy, ought to have warned them that there was danger at hand far nearer home than China. Roumania, Servia, Italy, and Spain have now become members of the Austro-German Alliance, and I have reason to believe that this alliance will very shortly have a practical result. It may not be next week or next month, but it will certainly not be long delayed when the German Government will take the initiative of a proposal which will have a sured by a person whom I know to be in the confidence of Prince Bismarck that Germany has agreed with Austria and other members of the alliance, which now embraces the whole of Continental Europe, exceptdinavian Kingdoms, to propose a general Congress, with a view to a mutual and general disarmament. As to the time at which this thunderbolt of war is to be launched under pacific pretences I cannot say. But I am assured it has been assented to by Austria, Spain, and Italy, and I can hardly suppose that some inkling of the matter has not reached her Majesty's Government Some knowledge of it has certainly reached Russia, and it would render the coup d'état in Bulgaria intelligible enough. On the other hand, a Madrid correspendent telegraphs that public opinion in Spain has so strongly pronounced against any German alliance that the official organs have declared that King Alfonso's journey to Berlin and Vienna is not likely to lead to any treaty or alliance at

ANNUAL GRANTING OF LICENCES

A special meeting of Justices of the peace was held at the Magistracy this forenoon, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 11 of 1844, to consider applications for licences for the sale commencing on the 1st proximo. There were present :- Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, chairman, Dr. Adams, Messrs. A. Seth, H. C. Setna, F. H. Arjance, H. M. Meta, J. S. Brewer, C. Ford, and

The first application brought forward was that of J. Gomes of the "Welcome" Tavern which was granted, there being no police objection; the licence had been held for 14 years. The next application was from John Juster of the Central Hotel, who had held a licence years. Mr. Wodehouse said that applicant was fined \$5 on the 8th August last, for using threatening language, and that he kept a man in his employ who was convicted of felony.—Chief Inspector Horspool remarked that a man had been robbed in the house, but that there was not much against the proprietor.-Dr: Adams enquired how long the man convicted of felony had been back in the house. Mr. Horspool said he did not know, but he would recommend that he should be got rid of. -Mr. Juster was then sent for, and informed by the Chairman that it appeared he kept a man his employ who had been convicted of felony. and that it was not proper to keep such a person. There was no objection otherwise, but it was not proper to keep this man .- Mr. Juster replied that then he would discharge him. The man, he said, had had nothing to do, and since he came back he had behaved himself very well. He was not a scafaring man .- Mr. Wodehouse. after some conversation with Dr. Adams, said i was not necessary to discharge him, since he was behaving himself well, and that the licence

was granted. . The application of John Humby of the "London Inn who had held a licence for 12 years. was the next considered, and it was granted

without any demur. The application of James S. Lucas for a licence for the "Rose, Shamrock and Thistle" Hotel was the next brought forward. Mr. Wodehouse said that Lucas held an interim licence for two months, and that there were strong objections to its renewal unless he showed that the man Robertson, who previously held the licence, had nothing to do with the business. It was believed that Lucas was merely a blind for Robertson, a kind of dummy, and it was a question whether a licence should be granted to him. There was an unfavourable report of Robertson, who had been charged with maliciously destroying property,-his own.-Mr. Horspool said he had been told a falsehood by Lucas, who said that Robertson had gone to Ceylon, whereas he found he was still in the colony. Mr. Horspool speaking about this matter used the names Sorableo " and "Lucas" interchangeably whereupon one of the Parseo Justices asked an explanation. Mr. Horspool explained that Lucas was known by the name of "Sorables! when he was in the police force, but that he had since changed his cognomen to "Lucas." It was conceded, however, that the change was perfectly legitimate. Mr. Horspool, continuing, said that unless Lucas could clearly prove that he himself was the proprietor, he should not be granted a licence. Lucas was then called, and in reply to the Chairman, said he that he was not in any way interested with Robertson in the business. He had no interest with him since the last row.-Mr. Wodehouse asked for a guarantee to this effect, whereupon we are not aware. The licence is being carried on by Lucas till the end of the present month. Mr. Horspool remarked that if Lucas could satisfy him (Mr. Wodehouse), by the end of the month that Robertson has nothing to do with the decided to let the application stand over until this day week, 13th, at 11 o'clock and Lucas, was directed to put himsel spector Horspool, with a view to arranging

Dorabjee Nowrojee, the well-known co-lessee of the Hongkong Hotel, was the next applicant for a licence for a new Hotel he intends to start on Priva Central, to be called the Victoria This application was granted without

The applications of John Olson, of the "Hamburg & Tavern, Louis Kirchmann of the !! Land

F. W. Peterson of the "German" Tavern, and Jesse Cook of the "Stag" Hotel, were then considered and granted without opposition.

The application of F. A. Linde of the "Star" Hotel came next in order. Mr. Wodehouse said the applicant had held a licence 7 years O the 11th January last he was fined \$10 for keeping a disorderly house, and had also been fine a dollar on two occasions for allowing an un muzzled ferocious dog to be at large. He thought he ought to be caudened, but there was no objection otherwise.-Dr. Adams said he considered the applicant should not be allowed to have a ferocious dog, especially as he had been convicted twice,-Mr. Horspool said it was very objectionable to have such a dog about the house. -Mr. Linde was then called, and told by the Chairman that there was no objection to granting him a licence except in regard to his dog-The applicant replied that he was going to give all his dogs away, having promised them to a German steamer, when she came back here,which would be probably in 10 or 12 days; he undertook to get rid of the dogs .- Mr. Wodehouse told the applicant that he would have to be careful, as he had been fined \$10. The licence was granted on condition that he got rid of the dogs. It was remarked casually by Mr. Horspool that the police considered the so-called ferocious dog a

rather quiet sort of creature. Mr. E. Jones Hughes' application for a licence for the Hongkong Hotel was the next considered. Some enquiries having been made by Dr. Adams as to whether the licence was applied for on behalf of the Directors, Mr. Hughes was called in and stated they were going to nun the Hotel under a manager. They had got a steward, who was for the present going to look after the bar and take charge. On next transfer day they would get the licence transferred to the manager. At present he was applying to enable them to run the Hotel from the ist of next month. The application was made on behalf of the Company, so as not to have to close the hotel at the end of the month. It was a question whether the manager could remain in Hongkong, or come back by the 1st. December. In reply to Mr. Wodehouse, Mr. Hughes said he was not residing on the premises, but that if necessary he would do so to look after the hotel. The licence was then granted. This concluded the business of the meeting.

CRICKET.

UNIVERSITIES AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS v. THE REMAINDER.

A match, twelve aside, between teams representing the above named contingents was commenced on the Cricket Ground on the afternoon of Friday, the 2nd instant. The weather was everything that could be desired for enjoyable cricket and the "olo man" had selected a capital pitch. The non-descripts took first innings and some good play was shown, the Universities and Public Schools being treated to a rare dose of leather hunting, mainly through the exertions of Rice and Hynes these two seasoned batsmen keeping possession of the wickets throughout the afternoon, and standing to their credit in the score book. Al gunfire the privately educated ones were still in possession, having amassed the respectable total of 210 runs with three wickets still to fall. There was a large attendance of speciators to witness the match, and proceedings were wonderfully enlivened by the presence of the band of the French flagship, Victorieuse, which, by the kind permission of Admiral, Meyer, and the officers of the vessel, played a choice selection of music in excellent style. Shortly after two o'clock the two Commisseriat

men, Rice and Hare, assumed the defensive,

D'Aeth and Lloyd being deputed to open the attack. - Each batsmen made three off D'Aeth's first essay, and the score was quickly raised to 14, when Hare, who had totalled half a dozen. sent the second ball of Lloyd's fourth over into the safe keeping of Jarrett. Bunbury had no sooner joined Rice than the left hander opened his shoulders and sent one from D'Aeth clean out of the ground for 5, and as the "Grand Old Buff" played up well, scoring a dozen in five hits, matters were pretty lively for the fielders. Just when Bunbury appeared well set, he was. unlucky enough to send one back to the bowler. (D'Aeth) which, it is almost needless to say, was gratefully accepted. Two for 37. Hynes was next man in and the stand of the day was made. Both batsmen hir the bowling to all parts of the field, causing numerous bowling changes to be resorted to, Porter, Hawkins, and Jarrett all having a turn, but without success. The total was increased to 177-140 having been put on since the fall of the previous wicket—when Lloyd clean bowled Rice, the retiring batsman having compiled 75—one 5, eleven 3's, &c.—by a sterling display of cricket. Farquhar was now associated with the old un, but after scoring 3 he was sent back, and his successor. Greaves. also failed to stay, D'Aeth shattering his timbers after he had contributed a two and single to the sum total. Five for 106. Plumbe loined Hynes, and the old Cambridge player. Wise took the ball from Jarrett. The new comer failed to score and after Major Cochrane and Hynes had raised the total to 206. Wise. assisted by Hawkins at square leg, sent the pair to the Pavilion with successive balls, the catch which dismissed Hynes being an excellent bit of cricket, for which Hawkins was deservedly applauded. Hynes had put together go, one 5, two 4's, seventeen 3's, three 2's and singles-by a first class display of hard itting Hendry and Dr. Gamble kept their wickets intact until gun-fire, when the stumps were drawn for the night—the score register showing are runs for the loss of 8 wickets.

Play was resumed on Saturday morning shortly after II o'clock. Hendry and Dr. Gamble, the not outs " of last night, continuing their innings. A good stand was made, and, as the bowling was very weak at the commencement runs came rapidly. Hendry was eventually stumped by Brackenbury off larrett for a well played 23. and his pariner had knocked up 21 before succumbing to a catch by a "sub" from the same bowler. Sadler and Cottell jointly added 23 to the score, when Hawkins bowled the first named. the innings closing fort the formidable total of 274 runs. Wise was most successful in the ing 34 runs. | fairett had 3 for 67, Lloyd 2 for

91, D'Acth 2 for to and Hawkins one for 7.
The Universities and Schools made an exceedingly poor show, only Porter (25) and Gordon (17) offering any effective resistance to the bowling of Hendry and Hynes. The eleventh Hynes took 4 Wickets for 14 runs, Hendry 4 for 18, Plumbe 2 for 18 and Bunbury one for 30 Following on their second innings was still more disastrous, six wickets falling for 9 runs. Then Whyte and Gordon got together and made a determined stand. When our report left at 4.45 the total had reached 30 with both batsmen

The Universities and Public Schools sent in Jarrett (Harrow) and Hawkins (Dulwich) to face the onslaughts of Hendry and Farquhar. No stand was made Jarrett failing to stop one from Hendry with the score at 8, and his successo Lloyd (Shrewsbury) got his leg in front of the wicket and had to retire without breaking his duck. Hawking was then clean bowled by Hendry and Bunbury, who had taken the ball from Parquhar, in his second over had D'Aeth we live in," J. R. White of the "Sailors' Home," smartly caught by Gamble, the Bulls hard hitter

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W. H. MEDHURST, Commissioner for Immigration, Hongkong, 3rd November, 1883.

NOTICE, A A R. CHU KWOON NAM has this day left

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Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.

All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 per cent. from Return Fare : if re-embarking within

Passage, Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 per cent, from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through jares from China and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland. Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices, ad-

dressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 50A, Queen's Road Central

Agent -Hongkong, s7th October, 1883.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

SECOND and FINAL BONUS of Five A per cent. on Contributions and a DIVI-DEND of EIGHTERN DOLLARS and TWENTY-NINE CENTS per SHARE for the year 1882, will be Payable on MONDAY, the 22nd instant, Warrante may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date. By Order of the Board,

DOUGLAS JONES. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 22nd October, 1881.

F. E. FOSTER,